1. Slipshod (adjective)

Synonyms:

1. Reckless
2. Unwary
3. Careless
4. Heedless
5. Neglectful
6. Negligent
7. Rash
8. Remiss
9. Lax
10. Unmindful
11. Foolhardy
12. Impetuous
13. Hasty
14. Impulsive
15. Derelict
16. Shoddy/ sloppy/ slack

Antonyms:

1. Wary
2. Careful
3. Meticulous
4. Vigilant
5. Considerate
6. Thoughtful
7. Attentive
8. Punctilious
9. Chary
10. Discreet
11. Circumspect
12. Cautious
13. Heedful
14. Observant
15. Scrupulous
16. Solicitous
17. Prudent

Idioms related to **CAREFULNESS**

1. Argus – eyed: Vigilant
2. On the ball
3. All ears/ Lend an ear
4. Walk on egg shells/ Pay heed to
5. Keep a weather eye on

Idioms related to **CARELESSNESS**

1. Fast and loose
2. Hand over head : Rash, Careless
3. Like a bull in a china shop : Enthusiastic but careless

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Exercise

1. Circumspect (syn)

1. Heedful 2. Relaxed

3. Joyful

4. Clean

2. Meticulous (ant)

1. Careful

2. Sloppy

3. Heedful

4. Polite

3. Negligent (ant)

1. Chary

2. Calm

3. Composed

4. Careless

4. Rash (ant)

1. Immature

2. Audacious

3. Considerate

4. Bold

5. Reckless (syn)

1. Rational

2. Veritable

3. Rash

4. Queer

6. Alert (syn)

1. Daring

2. Cautious

3. Heedless

4. Brash

7. Vigilant (ant)

1. Cautious

2. Amicable

3. Foolhardy

4. Wary

8. Impetuous(ant)

1. Dense

2. Arguable

3. Tangible

4. Sensible

9. Solicitous(ant)

1. Worried

2. Heedless

3. Knowledgeable

4. Interesting

10. Discreet (syn)

1. Heedless

2. Harmless

3. Tactful

4. Careful

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11. Select the most appropriate synonym of the (‘Vigilant’) from the following options.

The burglar was very cautious, so he avoided the security perfectly as they didn’t find any proof.

1. Proof 2. Security

3. Cautious 4. Burglar

12. Chary

1. Keen

2. Fervent

3. Confident

4. Cautious

13. Prudent (syn)

1. Reckless

2. Rude

3. Hasty

4. Cautious

14. Hasty (ant)

1. Reckless

2. Quick

3. Brisk

4. Cautious

Exercise Answer.

1.1 2.2 3.1 4.3 5.3 6.2 7.3

8.4 9.2 10.4 11.3 12.4 13.4 14.4

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2. ABSTRUSE (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Unclear
2. Incomprehensible
3. Unintelligible
4. Vague
5. Esoteric
6. Recondite
7. Nebulous
8. Implicit
9. Obscure
10. Equivocal
11. Inarticulate
12. Arcane
13. Ambiguous
14. Cryptic
15. Dubious

Antonyms

1. comprehensible
2. Intelligible
3. Pellucid
4. Lucid
5. Explicit
6. Distinct
7. Eloquent
8. Expressive
9. Coherent
10. transparent
11. apparent
12. obvious
13. perspicuous
14. conspicuous
15. limpid
16. articulate
17. evident
18. Noticeable
19. Cogent

Exercise…

1. Recondite (Syn)

1. Abstruse 2. Phlegm
3. Clear 4. Abstract

2. Lucid (Ant)

1. Ambiguous 2. Orderly
3. Intelligible 4. Transparent

3. Ambiguous (Ant)

1. Annoying 2. Stylish
3. Sensational 4. Certain

4. Obvious (Syn)

1. Opaque 2. Ambiguous
3. Murky 4. Clear

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5. Equivocal (Ant)

1. Ambiguous 2. Definite

3. Insecure 4. Secure

6. Dubious (Syn)

1. Indecisive 2. Ambiguous

3. Definitive 4. Improbable

7. Lucid (Ant)

1. Ambiguous 2. Orderly

3. Intelligible 4. Transparent

8. Elucidate (Syn)

1. Exhaust 2. Examine

3. Oracular 4. Explicate

9. Limpid (Syn)

1. Subtle 2. Blunt

3. Lucid 4. Obscure

10. Rambling (Ant)

1. Articulate 2. Elaborate

3. Long-winded 4. Boring

11. Lucid (Ant)

1. Ambiguous 2. Coherent

3. Tangible 4. Blazing

12. Explicit (Ant)

1. Specific 2. Perfect

3. Nebulous 4. Vogue

13. Evident (Syn)

1. Aimless 2. Confusing

3. Complex 4. Clear

14. Prominent (Ant)

1. Dangerous 2. Crazy

3. Inconspicuous 4. Evident

15. Apparent (Ant)

1. Obvious 2. Actual

3. Evident 4. Hidden

16. Opaque (Ant)

1. Intelligible 2. Transient

3. Volatile 4. Conventional

17. Eloquent (Ant)

1. Impotent 2. Modest

3. Humble 4. Crucial

18. distinct (Ant)

1. Vague 2. Critical

3. Prior 4. Terrible

Answer.

1.1 2.1 3.4 4.4 5.2

6.2 7.1 8.4 9.3 10.1

11.1 12.3 13.4 14.3 15.4

16.1 17.1 18.1

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3. EXIGUOUS (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Paucity
2. Dearth
3. Scanty
4. Sparse / Scarce
5. Shortage
6. Devoid
7. Lack / negligible
8. Deficient
9. Meagre
10. Paltry
11. Petty/ skimpy
12. Deprived

Antonyms:

1. Galore
2. Abundant / Ample
3. Plethora
4. Redundant
5. Surfeit
6. Profuse/ Profound
7. Myriad
8. Umpteen
9. Surplus
10. Copious/ Adequate
11. Abounding
12. Multitude
13. Rampant
14. Plentiful
15. Opulent
16. Profuse
17. Verdant
18. Lush
19. Luxuriant
20. Bountiful
21. Voluminous
22. Sumptuous

Idioms related to "Shortage"

1. A drop in an ocean
2. Barmecide feast
3. Lean times
4. Chicken feeds

Idioms related to "Plentiful"

1. Dime a dozen
2. All over the place
3. Sit on the gold mine
4. Packed like sardines
5. Born with the silver spoon
6. Bring sand to the beach
7. Thick on the ground

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8. On the double

9. High on the hog

Exercise…

1. Profuse (Syn)

1. Meagre 2. Abundant

3. Limited 4. Consistent

2. Meagre (Ant.)

1. Regional 2. Racial

3. Stupid 4. Generous

3. Copious (Ant.)

1. Galore 2. Enough

3. Umpteen 4. Meagre

4. Exiguous (Ant.)

1. Civilised 2. Miserable

3. Plentiful 4. Sparse

5. Scanty (Ant.)

1. Divine 2. Meagre

3. Abundant 4. Buoyant

6. Adequate (Ant.)

1. Unfit 2. Sufficient

3. Inept 4. Scarce

7. Sparse (Ant.)

1. Thin 2. Scant

3. Plentiful 4. Meagre

8. Lavish (Ant.)

1. Unique 2. Stylish

3. Devoid 4. Luxurious

9. Paltry (Ant.)

1. Substantial 2. Basic

3. Deficient 4. Key

10. Restricted (Ant.)

1. Copious 2. Circumscribed

3. Capped 4. Finite

11. Deficiency (Ant.)

1. Glitch 2. Dearth

3. Excess 4. Snag

12. Absence (Ant.)

1. Vanity 2. Surfeit

3. Dearth 4. Privation

13. Petty (Ant.)

1. Big 2. Dull

3. Light 4. Quick

14. Copious (Syn)

1. Galore 2. Empty

3. Unsparing 4. Meagre

15. Paucity (Syn)

1. Vanity 2. Surfeit

3. Dearth 4. Ample

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16. Ample (Syn)

1. Entertain 2. Sample

3. Sufficient 4. Temple

17. Abound (Syn)

1. Flourish 2. Succeed

3. Adequate 4. Increase

18. Rampant(Ant.)

1. Minimal 2. Aplenty

3. Plentiful 4. Fertile

19. Verdant (Ant.)

1. Indefinite 2. Unconscious

3. Unreliable 4. Meagre

20. Paucity (Syn.)

1. Inertness 2. Integrity

3. Multitude 4. Shortage

Answer.

1.2 2.4 3.4 4.3 5.3 6.4 7.3 8.3

9.1 10.1 11.3 12.2 13.1 14.1 15.3

16.3 17.1 18.1 19.4 20.4

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4. NOVICE

Synonyms:

1. Beginners
2. Inexpert
3. Apprentice
4. Rookie
5. noob
6. Dabbler
7. Tyro
8. Neophyte
9. Newbie
10. Fledgling
11. Amateur
12. Greenhorn
13. Proselyte
14. Maladroit
15. Inept / Inadept
16. Clumsy
17. Awkward

Antonyms.

1. Expert
2. Veteran / Versed
3. Savant
4. Acumen
5. Insight / Ingenious
6. Maestro
7. Aficionado
8. Virtuoso / Versatile
9. Adroit / Accomplished
10. Ept / Adept / Deft
11. Proficient / Efficient
12. Competent/ skillful
13. Dexterous/ Doyen

Idioms related to "Adroit"

1. Worth one's salt
2. On the ball (Competent / alert to new ideas)
3. Sharp as a needle
4. Sharp cookie

Idioms related to "Beginners"

1. Greenhorn
2. Sunday driver
3. A new kid on the block
4. Fresh from the oven
5. Newbie
6. Wet behind the ears/ All thumbs

Exercise…

1. Tyro(syn)

1. Rookie
2. Deft
3. Experienced
4. Distant

2. Virtuoso (syn)

1. Maestro
2. Noob
3. Voluble
4. Novice

3. Maestro (Ant)

1. Senile
2. Genius
3. Novice
4. Slender

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4. Amateur (Ant)

1. Novice 2. Apprentice
3. Professional 4. Learner

5. Maladroit (Ant)

1. Arrogant 2. Skilful
3. Awkward 4. Inept

6. Adroit (Syn)

1. Clumsy 2. Despotic
3. Skillful 4. Sane

7. Awkward (Ant)

1. Clumsy 2. Tender
3. Cordial 4. Adroit

8. Neophyte (Ant)

1. Veteran 2. Newbie
3. Essential 4. Crude

9. Adept (Syn)

1. Clumsy 2. Rough
3. Lazy
4. Versatile

10. Dexterous (Ant)

1. Proficient 2. Expert
3. Inept 4. Doyen

11. Fledgling (Ant)

1. Adroit 2. Neophyte
3. Essential 4. Crude

12. Proficient (Syn)

1. Vulgar 2. Inadequate
3. Ept 4. Condensed

13. Greenhorn (syn)

1. Proficient 2. Expert
3. Inept 4. Deft

14. Proficient (Syn)

1. Predictable 2. Accomplished
3. Dominant 4. Modest

15. Efficient (Syn)

1. Complex 2. Poor
3. Capable 4. Beginner

16. Incompetent (Ant)

1. Hopeless 2. Dexterous
3. Forlorn 4. Desperate

Answer.

1.1 2.1 3.3 4.3 5.2 6.3
7.4 8.1 9.4 10.3 11.1 12.3
13.3 14.2 15.3 16.2

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5. APOGEE (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Pinnacle
2. Peak
3. Apex
4. Summit
5. Zenith
6. Climax /Apotheosis
7. Acme / top/ climax
8. Culmination
9. Crest
10. Supreme
11. Paramount
12. Vertex

Antonyms:

1. Base
2. Bottom
3. Nadir
4. Abyss
5. Plinth

Exercise

1. Apex(Syn)

1. Core 2. Bottom

3. Corner

4. Pinnacle

2. Nadir (ant)

1. Horizon 2. Median

3. Base 4. Culmination

3. Summit (Ant)

1. Climax 2. Abyss

3. Crest 4. Docile

4. Plinth (syn)

1. Start 2. Base

3. Zenith 4. Summit

5. Zenith(syn)

1. Horizon 2. Crest

3. Bottom 4. Nadir

6. Acme(syn)

1. Essence 2. Abyss

3. Apogee 4. Talent

7. Foundation (syn)

1. Top 2. Base

3. Building 4. Structure

8. Apotheosis (syn)

1. Vertex 2. Bottom

3. Farthest 4. Watchful

Answer.

1.4 2.4 3.2 4.2 5.2 6.3 7.2 8.1

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6. AMELIORATE

Synonyms:-

1. Improve
2. Upgrade
3. Modify
4. Amend / Mend
5. Revamp
6. Reform
7. Rectify
8. Overhaul

Antonyms:-

1. Worsen
2. Deteriorate
3. Degrade
4. Aggravate
5. Injure
6. Harm
7. Impair
8. Maim
9. Cripple
10. Exacerbate
11. Undermine

Idioms related to "Improve"

1. A Shot In The Arm
2. Step Up A Gear
3. Kick It Up A Notch
4. Take To The Next Level
5. A Giant Stride
6. Turn Over A New Leaf

Idioms related to "Worsen"

1. Go To The Dogs
2. Add Insult To Injury
3. Add Fuel To The Fire
4. Run Down
5. Out Of The Frying Pan Into The Fire

Exercise

1. Amend (Syn)

1. Rectify 2. Hassle 3. Impair 4. Worsen

2. Ameliorate (Syn)

1. Decrease 2. Improve 3. Decline 4. Succeed

3. Exacerbate(Syn)

1. Deteriorate 2. Magnify 3. Condense 4. Uproot

4. Overhaul(Ant)

1. Mend 2. Worsen 3. Divide 4. Branch

5. Undermine (Syn)

1. Enhance 2. Wish 3. Spoil 4. Cripple

6. Revamp (Syn)

1. Approve 2. Establish 3. Reform 4. Compel

7. Upgrade (Ant)

1. Generate 2. Modify 3. Worsen 4. Add

8. Mend (Ant)

1. Permit 2. Cancel 3. Degrade 4. Reward

9. Cripple (Syn)

1. Halt 2. Stoop 3. Maim 4. Surrender

10. Reform (Syn)

1. Revamp 2. Irritate 3. Advance 4. Argue

Answer.

1.1 2.2 3.1 4.2 5.1 6.3 7.3 8.3 9.3 10.1

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7. CLANDESTINE

Synonyms:

1. Secret
2. Hidden
3. Concealed
4. Stealthy
5. Surreptitious
6. Private
7. Covert
8. Furtive
9. Veiled
10. Ulterior
11. Incognito
12. Devious

Antonyms:-

1. Open
2. Clear
3. Forthright/ Upright
4. Aboveboard
5. Candid
6. Straightforward
7. Overt
8. Revealed
9. Unveiled
10. Exposed

Exercise

1. Concealed (syn)

1. Unveiled 2. Upright

3. Candid

4. Covert

2. Ulterior (Syn)

1. Stealthy 2. Apparent 3. Frank 4. Exposed

3. Clandestine (Ant)

1. Surreptitious 2. Casual 3. Overt 4. Pristine

4. Aboveboard (Syn)

1. Uncomplaining 2. Candid 3. Sapient 4. Humble

5. Surreptitious (Syn)

1. Furtive 2. Apparent 3. Clear 4. Patent

6. Forthright (Ant)

1. Artless 2. Uninhibited 3. Honest 4. Devious

7. Candid(ant)

1. Blunt 2. Sincere 3. Deceitful 4. Unconventional

8. Concealed (Ant)

1. Annoyed 2. Disclosed
3. Arrogant 4. Excited

9. Overt (Syn)

1. Heavy 2. Honest
3. Dressed 4. Opaque

10. Ulterior (Syn)

1. Anterior 2. Eventual
3. Ancient 4. Prior

11. Forthright (Ant)

1. Motivated 2. Secretive
3. Outspoken 4. Unique

12. Incognito (Syn)

1. Honest 2. Simple 3. Hidden 4. Blunt

Answer.

1.4 2.1 3.3 4.2 5.1 6.4 7.3 8.2
9.2 10.2 11.2 12.3

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8. Voluble (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Chatty
2. Loquacious
3. Mouthy
4. Gabby
5. Talkative
6. Garrulous
7. Wordy
8. Verbose
9. Communicative
10. Extrovert
11. Gossipy
12. Prolix

Antonyms:

1. Reserved
2. Reticent
3. Taciturn
4. Introverted
5. Laconic
6. Tight-lipped
7. Uncommunicative

Exercise

1. Verbose(Syn)

1. Exhaustive
2. Aggressive
3. Talkative
4. Decisive

2. Reticent (Ant)

1. Controversial
2. Hostile
3. Talkative
4. Aggressive

3. Taciturn (Syn)

1. Verbose
2. Noisy
3. Lively
4. Reserved

4. Introverted(syn)

1. Shy
2. Outspoken
3. Social
4. Bold

5. Laconic (Syn)

1. Exaggerated
2. Lengthy
3. Talkative
4. Concise

6. Garrulous (Syn)

1. Uncommunicative
2. Tight-lipped
3. Voluble
4. Concise

7. Gabby (Syn)

1. Quick
2. Tight-lipped
3. Verbose
4. Calm

Ans
1. 3 2. 3 3. 4 4. 1
5. 4 6. 3 7. 3

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9. Amass

Synonyms:-

1. Gather
2. Store
3. Accumulate
4. Garner
5. Assimilate
6. Muster
7. Pile Up
8. Hoard
9. Accrue
10. Collect
11. Collate
12. Congregate
13. Assemble
14. Convene

Antonyms:-

1. Dissipate
2. Disseminate
3. Squander
4. Misuse
5. Fritter
6. Waste
7. Mispend
8. Fiddle away
9. Disperse
10. Spread
11. Scatter

Exercise

1. Amass (syn)

1. Gather
2. Spread

3. Divide

4. Misuse

2. Collate(syn)

1. Gather
2. Perish

3. Dissipate

4. Sprinkle

3. Accrue (ant)

1. Squander

2. Place

3. Lift

4. Collect

4. Muster (Ant)

1. Disperse
2. Convene

3. Mobilize

4. Assemble

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5. Assimilate (ant)

1. Hoard

2. Compose

3. Disperse

4. Confine

6. Dissipated (syn)

1. Returned

2. Enhanced

3. Heightened

4. Disappeared

7. Disseminate (Syn)

1. Implement

2. Merge

3. Circulate

4. Facilitate

8. Fritter (ant)

1. Implement

2. Garner

3. Circulate

4. Facilitate

9. Assimilate(ant)

1. Implement

2. Garner

3. Circulate

4. Facilitate

Answer.

1.1

2.1

3.1

4.1

5.3

6.4

7.3

8.2

9.3

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10. Audacious

Synonyms:-

1. Fearless
2. Valiant
3. Brave
4. Gallant
5. Dauntless
6. Bold
7. Brazen
8. Effrontery
9. Intrepid
10. Candid
11. Impudent
12. Daring
13. Temerity
14. Heroic
15. Chivalric
16. Mettlesome
17. Gritty
18. Lionhearted

Antonyms:-

1. Timid
2. Timorous
3. Pusillanimous
4. Diffident
5. Coward
6. Meek
7. Fearful
8. Fretful
9. Dauntful
10. Bashful
11. Mousy
12. Craven
13. Recreant
14. Skittish

Idioms Related to <u>Fear</u>

(1) Cold Feet :- to suddenly become too Frightened

(2) Curl someone's hair :- to frighten Someone

(3) Tongue – Tied :- nervous

(4) Have butterflies in your stomach:- to feel very nervous, usually about something you are going to do

(5) Like a cat on hot bricks:- someone who is in a state of extreme fear

(6) Have kittens / in a flutter:- to be very worried

(7) Bundle of nerves/ with bated breath:- someone who is extremely Nervous

(8) Have one's heart in one's mouth/ in Tenterhooks :- to be very fearful

(9) Lily-livered :- fearful

(10) Chicken – Hearted (डरपोक):- fearful

(11) Pigeon – Hearted (डरपोक):- fearful

(12) Yellow – Bellied (डरपोक):- fearful

Idioms Related to Courage …

1. Put on a brave face: To act bravely and hide one's fear or worry.

2. To have guts: To be brave and willing to take risks.

3. To hold one's ground: To stand firm and not retreat in the face of opposition.

4. To have nerves of steel: To be very brave and calm, especially in a difficult situation.

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5. To stand tall: To act with confidence and bravery.

6. To be lion-hearted: To be very brave and courageous.

7. Heart of a lion: To possess exceptional bravery and courage.

8. Show one's mettle: To demonstrate true courage and strength of character.

9. Die with one's boots on: To continue courageously until the very end.

Exercise

1. Valiant (Ant)

1. Barren 2. Cowardly

3. Gallant 4. Worthy

2. Brave (Syn)

1. Cautious 2. Timid

3. Daring 4. Mild

3. Gallant (Ant)

1. Heroic 2. Courageous

3. Valiant 4. Cowardly

4. Bold (Ant)

1. Tired 2. Timid

3. Harsh 4. Soft

5. The teacher was accused of (brazen) favouritism in assigning the grades. (syn)

1. Modest 2. Shy

3. Unashamed 4. Ashamed

6. Her (candid) remarks impressed the board of members. (Ant)

1. Blunt 2. Sincere

3. Deceitful 4. Unconventional

7. Impudent (Ant)

1. Insolent 2. Confident

3. Triumphant 4. Polite

8. She had the (temerity) to call her teacher a liar. (Syn)

1. Impudence 2. Trenchant

3. Tedious 4. Taciturn

9. Timid (Syn)

1. Magical 2. Honest

3. Fearless 4. Nervous

10. Timorous (Ant)

1. Brazen

2. Scared

3. Gutless

4. Reserved

11. Cowardly (Ant)

1. Integral

2. Fleeting

3. Spineless

4. Valiant

12. Craven (Syn)

1. Bold

2. Unabashed

3. Cowardly

4. Gallant

Answer.

1.2 2.3 3.4 4.2 5.3 6.3

7.4 8.1 9.4 10.1 11.4 12.3

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11. Bliss

Synonyms:

1. Happiness
2. Delight
3. Glee
4. Mirth
5. Elation
6. Rapture
7. Ecstasy
8. Jubilation
9. Blithe
10. Jocund
11. Euphoria
12. Beatitude
13. Delirium
14. Exaltation
15. Pleasure

Antonyms:

1. Doleful / Sad
2. Mournful
3. Inconsolable
4. Bleak/ Weepy
5. Forlorn
6. Grievous/ Rueful
7. Despondent
8. Dejected
9. Gloomy
10. Morose
11. Crestfallen
12. Woebegone
13. Dolorous
14. Melancholic
15. Sombre
16. Cast Down
17. Blue/ Sullen
18. Glum/ downcast
19. Lugubrious
20. Plaintive
21. Dismal/ sorrowful
22. Lachrymose
23. Disconsolate

Idioms Related to Happiness

(1) On cloud nine :- to be extremely happy and excited

(2) Over the moon:- to be very pleased

(3) On top of the world :- extremely happy

(4) In seventh heaven:- extremely happy

(5) Walking on air :- to be very happy and excited because something very good has happened to you

(6) Like a dog with two tails:- used to say that someone is very happy about something

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(7) Whoop It Up : extremely happy

Idioms Related to Sadness

(1) Low – spirited:- unhappy and having little hope

(2) Down in the dumps:- unhappy

(3) Feeling blue / to have the blues:- to feel sad

(4) Face like a wet weekend:- miserable, gloomy

(5) Reduce to tears / close to tears:- feel so unhappy that you cry

(6) Down in the mouth :- sadness

(7) Pull a long face :- sad/glum of sorrow

(8) Lump in the throat :- strong emotion

Exercise

1. Dismal (Syn)

1. Bleak

2. Ecstatic

3. Euphoric

4. Emotional

2. Glee (Ant)

1. Fun

2. Bliss

3. Joy

4. Woe

3. Mirth (Syn)

1. Scene

2. Delight

3. View

4. Joint

4. Ecstasy (Syn)

1. Mourning

2. Bliss

3. Fantasy

4. Appreciation

5. Jubilation (Syn)

1. Rejoicing

2. Subjugation

3. Servitude

4. Submission

6. Exaltation (Syn)

1. Dejection

2. Ecstasy

3. Satisfaction

4. Elaboration

7. Doleful (Ant)

1. Dismal

2. Joyous

3. Horrid

4. Worthless

8. Bleak(Syn)

1. Slow

2. Gloomy

3. Frail 4. Sudden

9. Grief (Syn)

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1. Pain 2. Content 3. Decent

3. Jollity 4. Lively

4. Pleasure 15. Lugubrious (Syn)

10. Beatitude (Syn) 1. Dolorous

1. Blithe 2. Serious

2. Grief 3. Diligent

3. Sorrow 4. Energetic

4. Oblivion **Answer.**

11.Dejected (Syn) 1.1

1. Conceited 2.4

2. Approved 3.2

3. Depressed 4.2

4. Postponed 5.1

12.Gloomy (Ant) 6.2

1. Dull 7.2

2. Bright 8.2

3. Sad 9.1

4. Dismal 10.1

13.Morose (Syn) 11.3

1. Jocund 12.2

2. Excited 13.3

3. Despondent 14.1

4. Liberal 15.1

14. Sombre (Syn)

1. Doleful

2. Critical

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12. Assuage (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. **Ease**
2. **Gratify**
3. **Satisfy**
4. **Lull**
5. **Appease**
6. **Relieve**
7. **Alleviate**
8. **Allay**
9. **Placate**
10. **Pacify**
11. **Tranquilise**
12. **Conciliate**
13. **Mitigate**
14. **Palliate**
15. **Propitiate**
16. **Mollify**
17. **Soothe**
18. **Calm Down**
19. **Please**
20. **Sedate**

Antonyms:

1. **Aggravate**
2. **Incense**
3. **Arouse**
4. **Stir**
5. **Incite**
6. **Instigate**
7. **Enrage**
8. **Outrage**
9. **Infuriate**
10. **Foment**
11. **Ferment**
12. **Exasperate**
13. **Umbrage**
14. **Exacerbate**
15. **Abet**
16. **Provoke**
17. **Kindle**
18. **Inflame**
19. **Ignite**
20. **Goad**
21. **Embroil**
22. **Egg on**

Idioms related to <u>ANGER / ANNOYANCE</u>

1. **Up in arms: Very angry**
2. **Blow your top: Suddenly become angry**
3. **Bone to pick:**
4. **Get someone's goat**

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5. **Get in someone's hair / get on someone's hair (to annoy or irritate someone)**

6. To ruffle someone's feathers

7. Cheesed off (annoyed) / Pissed off

8. To flip out: Suddenly become angry

9. The last straw: The final irritation that causes a person lose his patience and become angry

10. To have a cow

11. To blow a fuse

12. To blow a gasket

13. Get on someone's nerves

14 .get over someone's skin

14. Make someone's blood boil

15. fly off the handle

Idioms related to <u>PACIFY</u>

1. **Smooth someone's ruffled feathers**
2. **Pull yourself together: Calm**
3. **Hold one's nerve**
4. **Collect one's thoughts**
5. **Keep one's hair on**
6. **To take the edge off : Make less severe / Unpleasant**

Exercise

1. Assuage (Ant)

1. Relieve

2. Decrease

3. Provoke

4. Soothe

2. Lull (Syn)

1. Disturb
2. Aggravate
3. Nullify
4. Placate

3.Appease (Syn)

1. Pacify
2. Irritate
3. Excite
4. Worsen

4. Sedate (Syn)

1. Allay

2. Inflame

3. Falter
4. Aggravate

5. Incense (Ant)

1. Destroy

2. Aggravate

3. Mollify

4. Ameliorate

6. Mitigate(Ant)

1.Please

2 . Appease

3. Exacerbate

4. Allay

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7. Allay (Syn)

1. Relieve
2. Release
3. Arrange
4. Allure

8.Umbrage (Syn)

1. Placate
2. Assuage
3. Goad
4. Quell

9. Palliate (Syn)

1.Tranquilise
2. Irritate
3. Upset
4. Infuriate

10. Enrage (Syn)

1. Show
2. Outrage
3. Divert
4. Lessen

11.Mitigate (Syn)

1. Reform
2. Gratify
3. Mend
4. Aggravate

12. Soothe (Ant)

1. Move
2. Pacify
3. Instigate
4. Escalate

13. Agitate (Ant)

1. Dissipate
2. Understand
3. Assuage
4. Question

14. Aggravate (Syn)

1. Annoy
2. Mitigate
3. Enhance
4. Satisfy

15. Exasperate (Ant)

1. Exacerbate
2. Alleviate
3. Integrate
4. Irritate

16. Arouse (syn)

1. Provoke
2. Cease
3. Thrill
4. Alert

17. Goad(Syn)

1. Pacify
2. Tighten
3. Inflame
4. Quote

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18. Instigate (Syn)

1. Deter

2. Settle

3. Rectify

4. Incite

19. Enraged (Syn)

1. Peaceful

2. Elated

3. Fortunate

4. Furious

20. Outraged (Syn)

1. Angry

2. Absurd

3. Content

4. Satisfied

21. Egg on (Syn)

1. Imitate

2. Appreciate

3. Desperate

4. Infuriate

22. Provoke (Syn)

1. Hinder 2. Placate

3. Enrage

4. Gratify

23. Ignite (Ant)

1. Light

2. Burn

3. Kindle

4. Sedate

Answer.

1.3	2.4	3.1	4.1	5.3	6.3	7.1
8.3	9.1	10.2	11.2	12.3	13.3	14.1
15.2	16.1	17.3	18.4	19.4	20.1	

21.4

22.3

23.4

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13. Turmoil (noun)

Synonyms:

1. **Chaos**
2. **Confusion**
3. **Disorder**
4. **Uproar**
5. **Agitation**
6. **Turbulence**
7. **Tumultuous**
8. **Disarray**
9. **Unrest**
10. **Upheaval**
11. **Mayhem**
12. **Bedlam**
13. **Pandemonium**
14. **Topsy – turvy**
15. **Commotion**
16. **Hullabaloo**
17. **Ruckus**
18. **Shambles**
19. **Perturbation**

Antonyms:

1. **Peace**
2. **Harmony**
3. **Peacefulness**
4. **Serenity**
5. **Tranquility**
6. **Calmness**
7. **Placidity**
8. **Quietude**

Idioms related to <u>CONFUSION</u>

1. **At sixes and sevens**
2. **At one's wits' end**
3. **At a loss / In a fix**
4. **At sea / In a dilemma**
5. **Catch 22 situation**
6. **Chicken and egg situation**
7. **In a flutter**
8. **Alphabet soup**

Idioms related to <u>SILENCE</u>

1. **Olive branch**
2. **Spick and span**
3. **Apple pie order**

Exercise:

1. Turmoil (Ant)

1. Peace

2. Commotion

3. Fuss

4. Uproar

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2 .Chaos (Syn)

1. Fusion 2. Tension

3. Confusion 4. Dirt

3. Confusion (Syn)

1. Intrepidity

2. Stagnation

3. Perusal

4. Commotion

4. Ruckus (syn)

1. Placidity

2. Uproar

3. Condition

4. Rancour

5. Mayhem (Syn)

1. Order

2. Plunder

3. Commotion

4. Rebel

6. Pandemonium (Ant)

1. Turbulence

2. Harmony

3. Excitement

4. Uproar

7. Tumultuous(Syn)

1. Unrest

2. Absurd

3. Conflict

4. Issue

8. Harmony (Ant)

1. Unrest

2. Congruity

3. Consent

4. Concord

9. Upheaval (Ant)

1. Unruly

2. Serenity

3. Mayhem

4. Discord

10. Turbulence (ant)

1. Agitation

2. Shambles

3. Bedlam

4. Peace

Answer.

1.1 2.3 3.4 4.2 5.3 6.2

7.1 8.1 9.2

10.4

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14. Plaudit (noun)

Synonyms:

1. **Compliment**
2. **Praise**
3. **Applause**
4. **Acclamation**
5. **Ovation/ Glorification**
6. **Commendation**
7. **Kudos/ Eulogy**
8. **Approbation/Approval**
9. **Citation/ Accolades**
10. **Encomium/ Exemplary**

Antonyms:

1. **Pejorative**
2. **Ignominy**
3. **Criticism**
4. **Condemnation**
5. **Censure**
6. **Flak / Rant**
7. **Harangue**
8. **Diatribe/ Invective**
9. **Tirade/ Rant**
10. **Jeremiad**
11. **Calumny**

Idioms related to <u>PRAISE</u>

1. **Gift of gab:- Good at talking**
2. **Green Fingers:- Good at gardening**
3. **Dab hand:- Good at manual skills**
4. **Bring down the house:- Praise**
5. **Steal the show:- Win everybody's praise**

Idioms related to <u>CRITICISM</u>

1. **Pick holes:- Find fault or criticise others**
2. **In the firing line:- In a place of criticism**
3. **The pot calling the kettle black:- Criticising somebody for the fault you too have**
4. **Left handed compliment:- A criticism disguised as a compliment**

Exercise:-

1.Praise (ant)

1. Celebrate

2. Condemn

3. Hail

4. Secure

2.Applause (syn)

1. Approval

2.Condemnation

3.Attack

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4.Blame

3. Ovation (syn)

1. Applause

2. Censure

3. Creation

4. Preparation

4. Ignominy (ant)

1. Beneficial

2. Restorative

3. Pejorative

4. Glorification

5. Censure (ant)

1. Fault

2. Applause

3. Blunder

4. Contempt

6. Compliment (syn)

a) Plaudit

b) Insult

c) Criticism

d) Mockery

7.Kudos (syn)

a) Flak

b) Citation

c) Ignore

d) Blame

8.Acclamation (ant)

a) Disorder

b) Calumny

c) Approval

d) Applause

9. Commendation (ant)

a) Tirade

b) Recognition

c) Disturbance

d) Ovation

10.Encomium (syn)

a) Dishonor

b) Accusation

c) Eulogy

d) Condemnation

11. Pejorative (ant)

a) Complimentary

b) Insulting

c) Derogatory

d) Negative

12.Flak (ant)

a) Praise

b) Criticism

c) Disapproval

d) Attack

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13. Harangue (syn)

a) Compliment

b) Rant

c) Citation

d) Opposer

14. Diatribe (ant)

a) Praise

b) Rant

c) Criticism

d) Tirade

15.Tirade (syn)

a) Compliment

b) Outburst

c) Censure

d) Lecture

Answer.

1.2

2.1

3.1

4.4

5.2

6.a

7.b

8.b

9.a

10.c

11.a

12.a

13.b

14.a

15.c

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15. Pertinacious / Tenacious (adj)

Root Word → "Ten" (hold together / firmly) (fasten, maintenance, tenet)

Synonyms:

1. Stubborn
2. Obstinate
3. Obdurate
4. Steadfast
5. Dogged
6. Adamant
7. Unyielding
8. Rigid
9. Resolute
10. Firm/ Recalcitrant
11. Determined
12. Inflexible
13. Intransigent
14. Stiffnecked
15. Unflinching
16. Inflexible
17. Pig headed
18. Bull headed
19. Intractable
20. Relentless
21. Inexorable
22. Wilful
23. Headstrong
24. Refractory
25. Ossified
26. Recalcitrant
27. Dogmatic
28. Pervert
29. Mulish/ Persistent

Antonyms:

1. Docile
2. Submissive
3. Subservient
4. Compliant
5. Pliable
6. Supple
7. Obedient
8. Dutiful
9. Yielding/ Amenable
10. Complaisant
11. Servile

Idioms related to "**Stubbornness**"

1. Hard as nails
2. Tough / Hard nut to crack
3. Tough as old boots
4. Dig your heels in
5. Set in stone
6. Dead set on
7. Pig headed / bull headed
8. Set in your ways
9. Cold fish
10. Take to prisoners

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Exercise.

1. Tenacious (ant)

1. Steadfast
2. Relentless
3. Persistent
4. Yielding

2. Obstinate (syn)

1. Generous
2. Pliable
3. Flexible
4. Adamant

3. Obdurate (ant)

1. Rigid
2. Callous
3. Amenable
4. Secure

4. Steadfast (ant)

1. Dishonest
2. Immobile
3. Unwavering
4. Docile

5. Adamant (syn)

1. Soft
2. Stubborn
3. Adaptable
4. Flexible

6. Rigid (ant)

1. Definite
2. Flexible
3. Adamant
4. Firm

7. Resolute (syn)

1. Bulky
2. Agreeable
3. Victorious
4. Strong

8. Determined (syn)

1. Famous
2. Flexible
3. Unflinching
4. Decisive

9. Tenacious (ant)

1. Supple
2. Determined
3. Intractable
4. Swarming

10. Docile (ant)

1. Pliant
2. Phony
3. Modest
4. Stubborn

11. Submissive (syn)

1. Adamant
2. Obedient
3. Obdurate
4. Obstinate

12. Pliable (ant)

1. Even
2. Smooth
3. Bending

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4. Rigid

13. Recalcitrant (ant)

1. Servile

2. Resolute

3. Resistant

4. Intransigent

14. Inexorable (syn)

1. Servile

2. Headstrong

3. Subservient

4. Yielding

15. Compliant (syn)

1. Servile

2. Resolute

3. Resistant

4. Intransigent

Answer.

1.4

2.4

3.3

4.4

5.2

6.2

7.4

8.3

9.1

10.4

11.2

12.4

13.1

14.2

15.1

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16. Perjure (verbs)

Synonyms:

1. Deceive 2. Mislead 3. Falsify

4. Beguile 5. Fabricate 6. Delude

7. Hoodwink 8. Swindle 9. Cheat

10. Ruse 11. Take in 12. Dupe/ Decoy

13. Bamboozle 14. Cozen 15. Prevaricate

16. Circumvent 17. Betray 18. Defray

19. Defraud

Antonyms:

1. **Confirm**
2. **Assert**
3. **Testify**
4. **Validate**
5. **Authenticate**
6. **Advise**
7. **Guide**
8. **Enlighten**

Idioms related to <u>DECEIVE</u>

1. **Take some for a ride**
2. **Play fast and loose**
3. **Pull the wool over someone's eye**
4. **Stab someone in the back**
5. **Smoke and Mirrors**
6. **To throw dust into someone's eye**
7. **To pull a fast one on someone**
8. **To rip someone off**
9. **To blow smoke**
10. **Monkey business**

Exercise

1. Deceive (Syn)

1. Assist 2. Betray 3. Aid 4. Release

2. Dupe (ant)

1. Pretend 2. Betray 3. Delude 4. Support

3. Beguile (Syn)

1. Disenchant 2. Deceive 3. Hasten

4. Repulse

4. Swindle (Syn)

1. Fraud 2. Ride 3. Threat 4. Observe

5. Perjure (syn)

1. Collaborate 2. Corroborate

3. Collide 4. Hoodwink

6. Prevaricate(syn)

1. Delude 2. Urge 3. Abandon 4. Request

7. Circumvent (Ant)

1. Oppose 2. Disprove 3. Affirm 4. Invalidate

8. Hoodwinked (syn)

1. Coerced 2. Threatened 3. Guided

4. Deceived

9 . Ruse (ant)

1. Cozen 2. Extort 3. Enlighten 4. Decoy

10 . Testify (ant)

1. Defraud 2. Validate 3. Ease 4. Banter

Ans:

1.2 2.4 3.2 4.1 5.4 6.1 7.3

8.4 9.3 10.1

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17. TESTY (adj)

Root Word:

Teste/ Tete (Head)

Synonyms:

1. Short tempered
2. Irritable
3. Cantankerous
4. Pugnacious
5. Belligerent / bellicose
6. Petulant
7. Choleric
8. Crabby
9. Waspish
10. Contentious
11. Churlish
12. Captious
13. Surly
14. Querulous / Quarrelsome
15. Fractious
16. Peevish
17. Crabby
18. Truculent
19. Grouchy/Grumpy
20. Irascible
21. Sardonic

Antonyms:

1. Cheerful
2. Happy
3. Pleasant
4. Genial
5. Cordial
6. Sociable
7. Agreeable
8. Friendly
9. Amiable
10. Amicable
11. Gregarious
12. Affable
13. Jovial

Idioms related to "Irritable persons"

1. Up in the arms
2. In a black mood
3. Blow a fuse
4. Bear with a sore head
5. Blow your top
6. Fly off the handle
7. Go ballistic
8. Go off the deep end
9. Go postal
10. Go through the roof

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11. Vent your spleen

Idioms related to "Friendliness"

1. Get along
2. On good terms
3. Bury the hatchet
4. To build bridges
5. To hit it off

Exercice

1. Pugnacious (Syn)
1. Succulent
2. Germane
3. Sagacious
4. Truculent

2. Fractious (syn)
1. Chirpy
2. Peevish
3. Radiant
4. Jaunty

3. Cantankerous(ant)
1. Blissful
2. Gloomy
3. Mourning
4. Nascent

4. Testy(Syn)
1. Petulant
2. Sorrowful
3. Faithful
4. Delightful

5. Genial (ant)
1. Surly
2. Optimistic
3. Positive
4. Cheerful

6. Amiable (ant)
1. Loving
2. Welcoming
3. Affectionate
4. Churlish

7. Gregarious (ant)
1. Grouchy
2. Friendly
3. Affable
4. Aloof

8. Amicable (Syn)
1. Generous
2. Friendly
3. Harsh
4. Proud

9. Choleric (Syn)
1. Excited
2. Sociable
3. Introvert
4. Querulous

10. Affable(ant)
1. Aggravate
2. Sardonic
3. Handy
4. Amicable

11. Jovial(ant)
1. Cheerful
2. Petulant
3. Buoyant
4. Convivial

Answer.

1.4 2.2 3.1 4.1 5.1 6.4 7.1 8.2

9.4 10.2 11.2

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18. MERCURIAL (adj)

Synonyms:

1. **Volatile**
2. **Unstable**
3. **Capricious**
4. **Whimsical**
5. **Erratic**
6. **Fickle**
7. **Fluctuating**

8. Wavering

9.Changeable

10.Flighty

11.Erratic

12.Temperamental

Antonyms:

1. **Constant**
2. **Steady**
3. **Certain**
4. **Predictable**
5. **Unchangeable**
6. **Steady**

Exercise

1. Mercurial (syn)

1. Interchangeable

2. Predictable

3. Permanent

4. Volatile

2. Fickle (syn)

1. Constant

2. Temperamental

3. Salacious

4. Bereaved

3. Volatile (ant)

1. Subtle

2. Erratic

3. Flighty

4. Certain

4. Whimsical (syn)

1. Wanton

2. Respectful

3. Humiliated

4. Capricious

5. Fickle (ant)

1. Crafty

2. Flighty

3. Erratic

4. Stable

6. Wavering (Syn)

1. Sickly

2. Drenching

3. Fluctuating

4. Unconvincing

7. Constant (Syn)

1. Steady

2. Fickle

3. Pitiful

4. Reflective

8. Steady (Ant)

1. Constant

2. Shaky

3. Dedicate

4. Tabular

9. Certain (Syn)

1. Approval

2. Doubtful

3. Predictable

4. Cautious

Answer.

1.4 2.2 3.4 4.4 5.4

6.3

7.1

8.2

9.3

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19. OUTLANDISH

Synonyms:-

1. Strange
2. Peculiar
3. Weird
4. Preposterous
5. Eccentric
6. Ludicrous
7. Surreal
8. Eerie
9. Absurd
10. Aberrant
11. Illogical
12. Abnormal
13. Insane
14. Odd / Clumsy
15. Unusual
16. Offbeat / Outrageous
17. Bizarre
18. Outre
19. Atypical
20. Queer/ Quaint
21. Idiosyncratic
22. Freakish
23. Grotesque
24. Quirky
25. Anomalous
26. Zany

Antonyms:-

1. Normal
2. Sensible
3. Wise
4. Prudent
5. Sane
6. Usual
7. Conventional
8. Common
9. Sapien

Idioms related to "FOOLISHNESS"

1. Bats in the belfry
2. Out of Mind
3. Lose one's marbles
4. Not all there
5. Not in one's right mind
6. Go nuts
7. Nutty as a fruitcake
8. Rat in the attic
9. Screw loose
10. Take leaves of one's senses

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Exercise

1. Strange (syn)

1. Events

2. Normal

3. Mundane

4. peculiar

2. Peculiar (syn)

1. Atypical

2. Common

3. Jovial

4. Neat

3. Weird (Ant)

1. Apparent

2. Normal

3. Abnormal

4. Wide

4. Preposterous (Syn)

1. Outrageous

2. Flashy

3. Imaginative

4. Dreamy

5. Eccentric (Syn)

1. Middle

2. Ecological

3. Peculiar

4. Elusive

6. Ludicrous (Syn)

1. Introvert

2. Bizarre

3. Astute

4. Intrinsic

7. Absurd (Ant)

1. Eerie

2. Zany

3. Realistic

4. Odd

8. illogical (Syn)

1. Unfavourable

2. Absurd

3. Biased

4. Factual

9. Unusual (Ant)

1. Questionable

2. Rare

3. Commonplace

4. Fantastic

10.Offbeat (Ant)

1. Conventional

2. Freaky

3. Unique

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4. Weird

11. Bizarre (Ant)

1. Strange

2. Happy

3. Weird

4. Usual

12. Queer (Syn)

1. Valid

2. Strange

3. Ordinary

4. Expedite

13.Grotesque (Ant)

1. Monstrous

2. Attractive

3. Distorted

4. Ugly

14. Anomalous (Ant)

1. Endemic

2. Outlandish

3. Customary

4. Alien

15. Quaint (Syn)

1. Reckless

2. Strange

3. Hasty

4. Cautious

16. Aberrant (Ant)

1. Peculiar

2. Respectful

3. Prudent

4. Halcyon

17. Conventional (Syn)

1.Customary

2. Contemporary

3. Unusual

4. Abnormal

18. Outre (Syn)

1. Uncommon

2. Usual

3. Particular

4. Scarce

Answer.

1.4	2.1	3.2	4.1	5.3	6.2	7.3
8.2	9.3	10.1	11.4	12.2	13.2	14.3
15.2	16.3	17.1	18.1			

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20. Nugatory (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Worthless
2. Inconsequential
3. Barren
4. Null and Void
5. Futile
6. Sterile
7. Dry
8. Arid
9. Parched
10. Fruitless
11. Unproductive
12. Infertile
13. in vain
14. Infecund
15. Impotent
16. Useless

Antonyms:

1. Worthwhile
2. Useful
3. Fertile
4. Prolific
5. Arable
6. Productive
7. Fruitful
8. Fecund

Idioms related to <u>USELESS</u>

1. Wild goose chase
2. Flogging a dead horse
3. In vain
4. Fool's errand
5. To no avail / Fall flat

Exercise

1. Worthless (ant)
1. Ineffective
2. Productive
3. Insult
4. Kind
2. Futile (Syn)
1. Fruitless
2. Enriching
3. Startling
4. Terrifying
3. Arid (Syn)
1. Dry
2. Lively
3. Damp
4. Fertile
4. Parched (Syn)
1. Arid
2. Rustic
3. Lush
4. Only
5. Prolific (Syn)
1. Productive
2. Lazy
3. Unproductive
4. Unsuccessful
6. Nugatory (Ant)
1. Fertile
2. Fruitless
3. Futile
4. Lush
7. Fecund (Ant)
1. Barren
2. Polite
3. Genial
4. Rude
8. Arable (Ant)
1. Sterile
2. Polite
3. Genial
4. Rude
9. Sterile (syn)
1. Inconsequential
2. Polite
3. Genial
4. Rude

Answer.

1.2
2.1
3.1
4.1
5.1
6.1
7.1
8.1
9.1

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21. Augment (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. **increase**
2. **Accelerate**
3. **Amplify**
4. **Propel**
5. **Aggrandize**
6. **Escalate**
7. **Elevate**
8. **Expedite**
9. **Enhance**
10. **Intensify**
11. **Skyrocket**
12. **Enlarge**
13. **Parlay**
14. **Mount**
15. **Surge**
16. **Soar**
17. **Crescendo**
18. **Burgeon**
19. **Mushroom**
20. **Proliferate**
21. **Boost/Spike**

Antonyms:

1. **Decrease**
2. **Abbreviate**
3. **Abridge**
4. **Shorten**
5. **Diminish**
6. **Dwindle**
7. **Decline**
8. **Wane**
9. **Abate**
10. **Truncate**
11. **Curtail**
12. **Taper**
13. **Depreciate**
14. **Attenuate**
15. **Recede**
16. **Mitigate**
17. **Shrink**
18. **Subside**
19. **Ebb**
20. **Tumble**
21. **Slump**

Idioms related to <u>INCREASE</u>

1. Leap and bounds: Increase Rapidly

2. Make headway:- Advance, Progress

3. Gaining ground:- Progress

4. Grease the wheel:- To increase the speed

5. Snowball Effect:- Increase

6. Dime a dozen:- Something which is abundant/common but of little value.

Exercise…

1. Augment (Ant)

1. Expand

2. Extend

3. Diminish

4. Spread

2. Increase (Ant)

1. Collect

2. Truncate

3. Widen

4. Expand

3. Select the most appropriate synonym of the word given below to fill in the blank in the following sentence.

(Propel) Paddles are used to ---- the boat. (SYN)

1. Rush 2. Move

3. Carry 4. Run

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5. Intensify (Syn)

1. Eliminate **2. Destroy**

3. Terminate **4. Strengthen**

6. Soar (Syn)

1. Sweet **2. Fly**

3. Bitter **4. Sour**

7. Augment (Syn)

1. Grow **2. Increase**

3. Ascend **4. Decline**

8. Abridge (Ant)

1. Elongate **2. Fortify**

3. Stimulate **4. Taper**

9. Aggrandize (Syn)

1. Weaken **2. Relegate**

3. Demote **4. Enhance**

10. Dwindle (Syn)

1. Expand

2. Reduce

3. Approve

4. Neglect

11. Crescendo (syn)

1. Escalation

2. Revere

3. Dominate

4. Squander

12. Waned (Ant)

1. **Grew**
2. **Declined**
3. **Abated**
4. **Dimmed**

13. Abate (Ant)

1. **Subside**
2. **Sustain**
3. **Increase**
4. **Lessen**

14. Attenuate (syn)

1. **Intense**
2. **Weaken**
3. **Increase**
4. **Innate**

15. Recede (Ant)

1. **Ransack**
2. **Irritate**
3. **Advance**
4. **Argue**

16. Mitigate (Syn)

1. **Show**
2. **Accelerate**
3. **Divert**
4. **Lessen**

17. Tumble (Ant)

1. **Supply**
2. **Apply**
3. **Resume**
4. **Expand**

18. Subside (syn)

1. **Disturb**
2. **Aggravate**
3. **Ebb**
4. **Enlarge**

Answer.

1.3 2.2 3.2 5.4

6.2 7.2 8.1 9.4

10.2

11.1

12.1

13.3

14.2

15.3

16.4

17.4

18.3

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22. Erudite (adjective)

Synonyms:

1. Knowledgeable
2. Literate
3. Scholarly
4. Brainly
5. Educated
6. Highbrow
7. Learned
8. Bookish
9. Cerebral
10. Academic

Antonyms:

1. Uneducated
2. Ignorant
3. illiterate
4. Unlettered
5. Benighted
6. Unscholarly

Idioms related to <u>SCHOLARLY</u>

1. Inkhorn
2. Bluestocking
3. A man of letters
4. Renaissance man
5. Highbrow
6. Egghead

Idioms related to <u>ILLITERATE</u>

1. Daft as a brush
2. Dumb as a post
3. Thick as mince.
4. Knucklehead

Note:

1. Bull headed / Pig headed:- Very stubborn
2. Egg head:- Scholarly
3. Swollen headed:- Arrogant

Exercise

1. Erudite (Syn)

1. Learned
2. Illiterate
3. Fashionable
4. Strong

2. Knowledgeable (Ant)

a) Ignorant

b) Wise

c) Intelligent

d) Thoughtful

3. Literate (Syn)

a) Educated

b) Uninformed

c) Unlettered

d) Careless

4. Scholarly (Ant)

a) Erudite

b) Illiterate

c) Bookish

d) Intellectual

5. Brainy (Syn)

a) Stupid

b) Smart

c) Dull

d) Lazy

6. Educated (Ant)

a) Literate

b) Scholarly

c) Uneducated

d) Intellectual

7. Highbrow (Syn)

a) Academic

b) Simple

c) Ordinary

d) Unrefined

8. Learned (Ant)

a) Wise

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b) Ignorant

c) Intelligent

d) Genius

9. Bookish (Syn)

a) Studious

b) Athletic

c) Careless

d) Active

10. Cerebral (Ant)

a) Intellectual

b) Brainy

c) Mindless

d) Thoughtful

11. Academic (Syn)

a) Scholarly

b) Practical

c) Uneducated

d) Illiterate

12. Ignorant (Ant)

a) Unaware

b) Knowledgeable

c) Uninformed

d) Foolish

13. Unlettered (Ant)

a) Literate

b) Bookish

c) Mindless

d) Ignorant

14. Benighted (Syn)

a) Enlightened

b) Uninformed

c) Wise

d) Cerebral

Answer.

1.1

2.a

3.a

4.b

5.b

6.c

7.a

8.b

9.a

10.c

11.a

12.b

13.a

14.b

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23. Beneficial (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Useful
2. Advantageous
3. Favourable
4. Wholesome
5. Salubrious
6. Propitious
7. Lucrative
8. Profitable
9. Salutary
10. Healthy
11. Opportune
12. Innocuous / Expedient

Antonyms:

1. Dangerous
2. Disadvantageous
3. Noxious
4. Obnoxious
5. Detrimental
6. Pernicious
7. Baneful
8. Noisome
9. Perilous
10. Parlous
11. Hazardous
12. Precarious
13. Lethal
14. Menacing
15. Jeopardizing
16. Disastrous
17. Deleterious

18. Inimical

19. Deadly/Harmful

Idioms related to BENEFICIAL / HEALTHY

1. In the pink
2. On good terms
3. Rolling in money
4. Manna from heaven
5. Bring home the bacon
6. Hit the jackpot
7. Ace in the hole
8. Bear Fruits

Exercise

1. Beneficial (Ant)

1. Fearful
2. Hopeful
3. Harmful
4. Careful

2. Salubrious (Syn)

1. Beneficial
2. Vicarious
3. Insidious
4. Septic

3. Propitious (Syn)

1. Inimical
2. Cogent
3. Auspicious
4. Conciliatory

4. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word from the sentence.

(Dangerous)

The traffic police have released a safe advisory that driving without seat belts is risky, beneficial, and fearful for human life. (SYN)

1. Risky 2. Released
3. Safe 4. Beneficial

5. Detrimental (Syn)

1. Friendly
2. Smart
3. Intellectual
4. Harmful

6. Pernicious (Ant)

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1. Malicious

2. Wicked

3. Injurious

4. Compassionate

7. All the employees feel that continuing working there is (perilous) to their careers. (Syn)

1. Convenient

2. Dangerous

3. Helpful

4. Suitable

8. Hazardous (Syn)

1. Uncaring

2. Dangerous

3. Smooth

4. Predictable

10. Our financial situation had become(precarious).

(Ant)

1. Delicate

2. Stable

3. Insecure

4. Noisy

11. Lethal (Syn)

1. Beneficial

2. Fatal

3. Slothful

4. Lazy

12. Disastrous (Syn)

1. Wicked

2. Noisy

3. Calamitous

4. Impressive

13. Inimical (Syn)

1. Deliberate

2. Comparable

3. Hostile

4. Influential

14. The child develops a (deadly) disease. (Syn)

1. Corrective

2. Fatal

3. Kind

4. Huge

Answer.

1.3

2.1

3.3

4.1

5.4

6.4

7.2

8.2

10.2

11.2

12.3

13.3

14.2

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24. OBSTREPEROUS (Adj)

Root Word : Strepere (Noise)

Synonyms:

1. Noisy
2. Vociferous
3. Boisterous
4. Clamorous
5. Unruly
6. Raucous
7. Loud-mouthed
8. Uproar
9. Turbulent
10. Tumultuous

Antonyms:

1. Quiet
2. Silent
3. Tranquil
4. Peaceful
5. Harmonious
6. Serene
7. Reposeful
8. Calm
9. Balmy

Idioms related to "Noisy"

1. A bull and cow
2 . Kick up a row
3. Hustle and bustle
4. Cause a commotion
5. The squeaky wheel gets the oil

Exercise

1. Vociferous (Ant)

1. Sullen
2. Silent
3. Pugnacious
4. Gallant

2. Obstreperous (syn)

1. Clamorous
2. Completely
3. Stillness
4. Compose

3. Boisterous (Ant)

1. Noisy
2. Balmy
3. Utterable
4. Uproar

4. Tranquil (Syn)

1. Calm 2. Alert
3. Aware 4. Dazed

5. Clamorous (Ant)

1. Chaotic 2. Calm
3. Agitated 4. Angry

6. Unruly (Ant)

1. Cranky
2. Reposeful
3. Joyful
4. Clean

Answer.

1.2 2.1 3.2 4.1 5.2 6.2

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25. EMBARGO (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Stoppage
2. Blockage
3. Barrier
4. Impediment
5. Hindrance
6. Restraints
7. Deterrents
8. Proscription
9. Hurdle/ Encumbrance
10. Restriction/ Obstruction
11. Stumbling block
12. Occlude / Stymie
13. Censorship/ Interdict
14. Obstacle

Antonyms:

1. Advantage
2. Assistance
3. Help
4. Benefit
5. Aid
6. Push

Exercise.

1. Hurdle (Syn)

1. Aid
2. Impediment
3. Accessory
4. Progress

2. Hindrance (Ant)

1. Handicap
2. Advantage
3. Barrier
4. Deterrent

3. Occlude (Syn)

1. Hinder
2. Boon
3. Vitalise
4. Unblock

4. Stymie (Syn)

1. Injure
2. Inhibit
3. Rapture
4. Genesis
5. Impede (ant)

1. Inject
2. Inhibit
3. Deter
4. Ease

6. Embargo (ant)

1. Interdict
2. Restraint
3. Deterrent
4. Assistance

Answer.

1.2 2.2 3.1 4.2 5.4 6.4

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26. BUMPTIOUS (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Arrogant
2. Haughty
3. Fustian/ Authoritative
4. Supercilious
5. Vanity / Domineering
6. Imperious
7. Immodest
8. Presumptuous
9. Cavalier
10. Egoist/ Proud
11. Self assertive
12. Snobbish
13. Narcissism
14. Conceited
15. Snobbish
16. Condescending
17. Uppish
18. Overweening
19. Chesty
20. Peremptory

Antonyms:

1. Humble
2. Lowly
3. Modest
4. Servile
5. Unassuming

Idioms related to "Arrogance"

1. Give oneself airs
2. Get too big for one's boots
3. Get too big for one's britches
4. Swollen headed/ Riding on a high horse
5. To have one's nose in the air
6. Full of oneself
7. High and Mighty/ toffee nosed

Idioms related to "Being Humble"

1. Get off your high horse
2. Eat a humble pie
3. Down to earth
4. Cap/hat in hand

Exercise…

1. The most (arrogant) employee in his company was sacked by the boss, no one could tolerate his ---- nature. (Syn)

1. Dicey 2. Plain
3. Haughty 4. Pricey

2. His (haughty) attitude angered everyone present at the meeting. (Ant)

1. Subservient 2. Humble
3. Conceited 4. Casual

3. Vanity (Syn)

1. Beauty 2. Empty
3. Humility 4. Conceit

4. Their humble attire did little to detract from the air of (imperious) authority they exuded, however. (Ant)

1. Meek 2. Unofficial
3. Lordly 4. Peremptory

5. Conceited (Ant)

1. Modest
2. Superior
3. Proud
4. Vain

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6. Fustian (Ant)

1. Modest
2. Superior
3. Proud
4. Vain

7. Condescending (Syn)

1. Accusing
2. Patronising
3. Creating
4. Stimulating

8. Uppish (Syn)

1. Bumptious
2. Fetish
3. Creative
4. Servile

9. Chesty (Syn)

1. Bumpkin
2. Fractious
3. Lowly
4. Snobbish

10. Supercilious(Syn)

1. Overweening
2. Frail
3. Languid
4. Servile

11. His (modest) nature made all the difference. (SYN)

1. Shy
2. Horrific
3. Dry
4. Courageous

12. Henry is so (servile) that other people take advantage of him. (ANT)

1. Sheepish
2. Arrogant
3. Bickering
4. Cunning

Answer.

1.3
2.2
3.4
4.1
5.1
6.1
7.2
8.1
9.4
10.1
11.1
12.2

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27. Bumpkin (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Boorish
2. Rustic/ rural
3. Clumsy
4. Yokel / unsophisticated
5. Oaf / Oafish
6. Arcadian
7. Uncivilized
8. Unrefined
9. Bucolic / Pastoral
10. Loutish
11. Uncouth / Rough
12. Countryside

Antonyms:

1. Cultured
2. Sophisticated
3. Civilised
4. Urbane
5. Debonair
6. Elegant
7. Genteel
8. Polished
9. Urbanite
10. Refined

Idioms Related To "Rustic Persons"

1. Wild And Woolly
2. Apple Knocker
3. All Thumbs
4. Hillbilly
5. Rough Diamond

Idioms Related To "Smart Persons"

1. Tough Cookie
2. Spruced Up

Exercise

1. Rustic (ant)

1. Shallow
2. Natural
3. Depressed
4. Urbane

2. Clumsy (ant)

1. Graceful
2. Jealous
3. Fierce
4. Nervous

3. Uncouth (ant)

1. Careful
2. Refined
3. Coarse
4. Generous

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4. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word ('Sophisticated') from the given sentence.

The tribe had no access to modern technology or resources and had to rely on primitive tools and techniques for survival. (ant)

1. Primitive
2. Modern
3. Techniques
4. Technology

5. Boorish(syn)

1. Loutish
2. Churlish
3. Corpulent
4. Charming

6. Oaf (syn)

1. Mighty
2. Tall
3. Ugly
4. Bumpkin

7. Polished (syn)

1. Crude
2. Cultured
3. Paramount
4. Boring

8. Yokel (ant)

1. Miserly
2. Crude
3. Precise
4. Genteel

Answer.

1.4

2.1

3.2

4.1

5.1

6.4

7.2

8.4

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28. SCRIMMAGE

Synonyms:

1. Altercation

2. Fracas

3. Squabble

4. Fight

5. Quarrel

6. Duel

7. Brawl

8. Contention

9. Skirmish

10. Strife

11. Scuffles

12. Fray/ Feud

13. Discord

14. Disagreement

15. Feud

16. Brickbat

17. Vendetta

18. Melee

19. Wrangle

Antonyms:

1. Agreement

2. Harmony

3. Amity

4. Concord

5. Accord

6. Peace

7. Truce

Exercise:

1. Altercation (Ant)

1. Agreement

2. Argument

3. Quarrel

4. Change

2. Feud (Ant)

1. Harmony

2. Distrust

3. Unfriendliness

4. Destruct

3. Vendetta (Syn)

1. Vacillation

2. Disagreement

3. Dilemma

4. Passion

4. Harmony (Ant)

1. Hostility

2. Congruity

3. Accord

4. Concord

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5. Wrangle (Syn)

1. Amble

2. Contention

3. Truce

4. Amity

6. Brickbat (Ant)

1. Squabble

2. Feud

3. Contention

4. Harmony

7. Duel (Syn)

1. Scrimmage

2. Congregation

3. Double

4. Concrete

8. Fray (Syn)

1. Scrimmage

2. Array

3. Conscious

4. Clumsy

9. Fracas (Ant)

1. Feud

2. Congruity

3. Strife

4. Scuffle

10. Brawl (Ant)

1. Discord

2. Contention

3. Melee

4. Unity

11. Scuffle(Ant)

1. Skirmish

2. Puzzle

3. Agreement

4. Feud

1.1

2.1

3.2

4.1

5.2

6.4

7.1

8.1

9.2

10.4

11.3

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29. VIRILE

Synonyms:

1. Manly
2. Strong
3. Masculine
4. Potent
5. Energetic
6. Robust
7. Macho
8. Muscular
9. Powerful
10. Brawny
11. Sturdy
12. Lusty
13. Red-Blooded
14. Husky
15. Burly
16. Fleshy
17. Plump
18. Portly
19. Obese
20. Corpulent
21. Fat
22. Stout
23. Rotund
24. Porky
25. Beefy
26. Pudgy

Antonyms:

1. Weak
2. Frail
3. Infirm
4. Feeble
5. Decrepit
6. Enervated
7. Incapacitated
8. Doddering
9. Dilapidated
10. Run Down
11. Weakened
12. Sickly
13. Fragile
14. Gaunt
15. Indisposed
16. Bony
17. Flimsy/ Flaccid
18. Slender/ Delicate
19. Lanky
20. Skinny
21. Thin
22. Sleek

Exercise.

1. Potent (Syn)

1. Wonderful
2. Graceful
3. Beautiful
4. Powerful

2. Robust (Syn)

1. Sturdy
2. Small
3. Round
4. Weak

3. The old house was so _____(sturdy) that it could be shattered into pieces with a single blow. (Ant)

1. Feeble
2. Wry
3. Competent
4. Subdued

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4. Obese (Ant)

1. Large 2. Stout

3. Slim 4. Greasy

5. The chubby player was clearly told to bring his (corpulent) body into a good shape. (Syn)

1. Rotund 2. Lanky

3. Deformed 4. Plush

6. Stout (Ant)

1. Obese 2. Thin

3. Bulky 4. Heavy

7. Frail (Ant)

1. Unreliable 2. Fresh

3. Fragile

4. Robust

8. Infirm (Ant)

1. Strong 2. Weak

3. Frail 4. Feeble

9. Feeble (Syn)

1. Weak 2. Strong

3. Unheedful 4. Baneful

10. The hot sun (enervated) the labourer to the extent that he collapsed. (Syn)

1. Energised 2. Weakened

3. Alleviated 4. Elevated

11. Fragile (Syn)

1. Fanatic 2. Firm

3. Composed 4. Delicate

12. Flimsy (Ant)

1. Tiny 2. Strong

3. Weak 4. Clumsy

13. Slender (Syn)

1. Lively 2. Energetic

3. Defame 4. Frail

14. Lanky (Syn)

1. Lively 2. Energetic

3. Defame 4. Frail

15. Sleek (Ant)

1. Smooth 2. Flat

3. Easy 4. Dull

Exercise

1.4 2.1 3.1 4.3 5.1 6.2 7.4

8.1 9.1 10.2 11.4

12.2

13.4

14.4

15.4

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30. AFTERMATH

Synonyms:

1. Result 2. Consequences
3. Reaction 4. Effect
5. Outcome 6. Repercussions
7. Upshot 8. Fallout
9. Impact 10. Ramification
11. Backlash 12. Reverberations
13. Corollary

Antonyms :

1. Cause 2. Origin
3. Beginning 4. Start
5. Inception 6. Dawn

Exercise:

1. Ramification(Syn)

1. Inception 2. Consequence
3. Source 4. Satisfaction

2. Aftermath(Ant)

1. Outcome 2. Cause
3. Corollary 4. Fallout

3. Backlash (Syn)

1. Bargain 2. Laud
3. Turgid 4. Result

4. Inception (Ant)

1. Beginning
2. Launch
3. Termination
4. Regression

5. Corollary (Syn)

1. Backlash
2. Lavish
3. Imaginary
4. Recovery

6. Repercussions (Syn)

1. Reaction
2. Inception
3. Arrival
4. Introspection

7. Upshot (Ant)

1. Beginning
2. Lassitude
3. Tension
4. Respect

Answer.

1.2 2.2 3.4 4.3
5.1 6.1 7.1

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31. BAFFLED

Synonyms:

1. Confused
2. Confounded
3. Muddled / Dazed/ Fazed
4. Perplexed
5. Puzzled
6. Befuddled
7. Nonplussed
8. Bewildered
9. Flustered
10. Flummoxed

Antonyms :

1. Eased
2. Comforted
3. Soothed
4. Explicated 5. Facilitated

Exercise:

1. She was completely (baffled) by his strange behaviour. (Syn)

1. Confused 2. Unfazed
3. Relieved 4. Angered

2. He hesitated, studying her face with a (confused) expression. (Syn)

1. Explicated 2. Puzzled
3. Calm 4. Assisted

3. Puzzled(Syn)

1. Confused 2. Doubtless
3. Certain 4. Sure

4. Confounded(Syn)

1. Muddled 2. Depressed
3. Established 4. Eased

5. Dazed (Ant)

1. Confused 2. Disturbed
3. Facilitated 4. Muddled

6. Befuddled(Syn)

1. Confused 2. Distressed
3. Censured 4. Assured

7. Perplexed (Syn)

1. Contributed 2. Dazed
3. Eased 4. Sanctioned

8. The uneducated man was (flummoxed) by the legal document. (Ant)

1. Harsh 2. Annoyed
3. Comfortable 4. Scared

9. Select the most appropriate antonym of the word (‘facilitated’) from the given sentence. The author’s recent bout of writer’s block had hindered her typically prolific output of novels. (Ant)

1. Bantered 2. Prolific
3. Hindered 4. Output

Answer

1.1
2.2
3.1
4.1
5.3
6.1
7.2
8.3
9.3

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32. IMPERATIVE (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Unavoidable / Inevitable
2. Commanding
3. Compulsory/ Necessary
4. Obligatory
5. Mandatory
6. Requisite
7. Exigent
8. Binding
9. Incumbent
10. Indispensable/ Expedient

Antonyms:

1. Optional
2. Discretionary
3. Voluntary
4. Intentional
5. Free
6. Elective

Exercise

1. It was (Inevitable) that the team management would sack him after his rude behaviour. (SYN)

1. Impassionate 2. Amiable
3. Measurable 4. Unavoidable

2. Obligatory (Syn)

1. Unnecessary
2. Compulsory
3. Chosen
4. Optional

3. Mandatory (Ant)

1. Optional
2. Requisite
3. Unavoidable
4. Imperative
4. Incumbent (Syn)

1. Prophet
2. Adventurer
3. Contestant
4. Occupant
5. Indispensable (Syn)

1. Memorable
2. Eternal
3. Essential
4. Forceful
6. Optional (Ant)

1. Voluntary
2. Compulsory
3. Arbitrary
4. Elective
7. Voluntary (Ant)

1. Uncompelled
2. Discretional
3. Mandatory
4. Optional
8. Intentional (Ant)

1. Inanimate
2. Amiable
3. Unplanned
4. Cordial

Answer:

1.4 2.2 3.1 4.4 5.3
6.2 7.3 8.3

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33. BRACE (verb)

Synonyms:

1. Support
2. Bolster
3. Strengthen
4. Buttress
5. Boost
6. Fortify
7. Augment
8. Beef Up
9. Prop Up
10. Consolidate
11. Embolden

Antonyms:

1. Undermine
2. Neglect
3. Halt
4. Discourage
5. Weaken
6. Debilitat
7. Enervate
8. Incapacitate
9. Enfeeble
10. Wear Out
11. Jade

Exercise

1. Brace (Syn)

1. Oppose
2. Undermine
3. Buttress
4. Strike

2. Bolster (Syn)

1. Strengthen
2. Weaken
3. Discourage
4. Enfeeble

3. Strengthen (Ant)

1. Debilitate
2. Fortify
3. Strain
4. Ascend

4. Fortify (Ant)

1. Enervate 2. Extend
3. Embolden 4. Spread

5. He (consolidated) his position as the leader of the political party. (Ant)

1. Weakened
2. Devised
3. Strengthened
4. Formulated

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6. The new government's domestic policies could easily (undermine) the main foreign policy. (Ant)

1. Enhance
2. Weaken
3. Spoil
4. Cripple

7. Debilitate (Ant)

1. Fail
2. Consolidate
3. Omit
4. Trust

8. Incapacitate (Ant)

1. Boost
2. Persuade
3. Construe
4. Injure

9. Beef up (Ant)

1. Sustained
2. Weakened
3. Animateed
4. V italised

10. The hot sun (enervated) the labourer to the extent that he collapsed. (Syn)

1. Energised
2. Weakened
3. Alleviated
4. Elevated

11. I felt terribly (jaded) after working all weekend. (Ant)

1. Glutted
2. Refreshed
3. Spent
4. Destroyed

1.3

2.1

3.1

4.1

5.1

6.1

7.2

8.1

9.2

10.2

11.2

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34. SEIZE (verb)

Synonyms:

1. Grab 2. Grasp 3. Snatch
4. Clutch 5. Clasp 6. Grip
7. Capture 8. Annex/ Wrest
9. Conquer 10. Usurp
11. Subjugate 12. Impound
13. Commandeer 14. Expropriate
15. Hijack 16. Clench
17. Confiscate 18. Forfeit
19. Sequestrate

Antonyms:

1. Free 2. Liberate 3. Release
4. Loosen 5. Unfasten 6. Let Out
7. Extricate 8. Deliver 9. Leave
10. Emancipate 11. Discharge

Exercise:

1. Seize (Ant)

1. Grab 2. Loosen 3. Snatch 4. Catch

2. Grab (Syn)

1. Lose 2. Seize 3. Free 4. Offer

3. The robbers were (captured) and brought to the jail. (Ant)

1. Seized 2. Released
3. Composed 4. Destroyed
4. Annex (Ant)

1. Clasp 2. Extricate 3. Grip 4. Propose

5. Confiscate(Syn)

1. Sequestrate 2. Attract
3. Destroy 4. Liberate

6. Usurp (Ant)

1. Wrest 2. Annex
3. Assume 4. Release

7. There is an unhealthy tendency to (subjugate) films to the dictates of raising public awareness. (Ant)

1. Liberate 2. Modest 3. Control 4. Vanquish

8. Clench (Ant)

1. Tighten 2. Clasp 3. Hold 4. Relax

9. Impounded(Syn)

1. Liberated 2. Marred 3. Seized 4. Acquitted

10. Commandeer(Ant)

1. Revoke 2. Restrict 3. Confine 4. Emancipate

Answer.

1.2 2.2 3.2 4.2 5.1 6.4 7.1
8.4 9.3 10.4

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35. INNATE (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. **Inborn**
2. **Ingrained**
3. **Natural**
4. **Deep-Rooted**
5. **Instinctive**
6. **Inveterate**
7. **Inherent**
8. **Intrinsic**
9. **Inbred**
10. **Immanent**
11. **Congenital**
12. **Native**
13. **Internal**

Antonyms:

1. **Superficial**
2. **Extrinsic**
3. **Unnatural**
4. **Acquired**
5. **External**

Exercise

1. Innate (Ant)

1. Natural **2. Replete**

3. Learned **4. Aquatic**

2. Inherent (Syn)

1. Increase **2. Superficial**

3. Inborn **4. Conclusion**

3. One must aim to develop (intrinsic) motivation within learners for better retention of knowledge. (Ant)

1. Elemental **2. Internal**

3. Extrinsic **4. Inherent**

4. Native (Ant)

1. Vicinity **2. Realm**

3. Foreign **4. Aboriginal**

5. Inbred (Syn)

1. Inborn **2. External**

3. Superficial **4. Anterior**

6. Immanent (Syn)

1. Congenital **2. Obtained**

3. Foreign **4. Acquired**

7. Inveterate (Ant)

1. Unnatural **2. Rancid**

3. Fetish **4. Abhorrent**

8. Instead of studying rules and definitions, helen (acquired) language through experience and habit. (Syn)

1. Admired **2. Awarded**

3. Forfeited **4. Obtained**

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36. ONEROUS (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Heavy
2. Burdensome
3. Difficult
4. Troublesome
5. Toilsome
6. Cumbersome
7. Weighty
8. Discomforting
9. Oppressive
10. Unmanageable
11. Arduous

Antonyms:

1. Easy
2. Light
3. Comfortable
4. Smooth
5. Effortless
6. Facile

1. Onerous (Syn)

1. Arduous **2. Abundant**

3. Honourable **4. Accessible**

2. The truck was carrying a (heavy) load .(Ant)

1. Massive

2. Big

3. Large

4. Light

3. Cumbersome (Syn)

1. Clumsy **2. Fatigue**

3. Easy **4. Light**

4. Burdensome (Syn)

1. Flat **2. Unmanageable**

3. Restive **4. Broken**

5. Weighty (Ant)

1. Smooth

2. Unmanageable

3. Reactive

4. Brash

6. Gregory's experiment at the may science fair turned out to be a (facile) one. (Syn)

1. Oversimplified **2. Spurious**

3. Unequivocal **4. Complicated**

Innate Ans:

1.3 2.3 3.3 4.3 5.1 6.1

7.1 8.4

Onerous Ans:

1.1 2.4 3.1 4.2 5.1 6.1

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37. CONFUTE (verb)

Synonyms:

1. Refuse
2. Reject
3. Refute
4. Repudiate
5. Rebut
6. Rebuff
7. Deny
8. Disapprove
9. Contradict
10. Veto
11. Gainsay
12. Invalidate
13. Dismiss
14. Controvert

Antonyms:

1. Accept
2. Embrace
3. Ratify
4. Enforce
5. Implement
6. Execute
7. Approve
8. Sanction
9. Concede
10. Agree
11. Espouse
12. Corroborate
13. Validate
14. Affirm
15. Adopt
16. Profess
17. Acknowledge

Exercise:

1. Gainsay (Syn)

1. Allay
2. Visit
3. Affirm
4. Repudiate

2. Refute (Ant)

1. Acknowledge
2. Deny
3. Dispute
4. Controvert

3. Veto (Ant)

1. Block
2. Accept
3. Check
4. Prevent

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4. Contradict (Syn)

1. Permit
2. Contravene
3. Vouch
4. Verify

5. Ratify (Ant)

1. Agree
2. Respond
3. Deny
4. Confirm

6. Execute (Syn)

1. Implement
2. Destroy
3. Employ
4. Organise

7. Sanction (Syn)

1. Permit
2. Condone
3. Degrade
4. Reward

8. Concede (Syn)

1. Permit
2. Fascinate
3. Reject
4. Deny

9. Rebut (Syn)

1. Grant
2. Allow
3. Refute
4. Admit

10. Espouse (Syn)

1. Adept
2. Accept
3. Adapt
4. Acclimatise

11. Professed (Ant)

1. Rejected
2. Headed
3. Established
4. Inducted

12. Confute (Ant)

1. Eliminate
2. Compensate
3. Confuse
4. Acknowledge

38. DAPPER (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Smart
2. Spruce
3. Well-Dressed

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4. Debonair
5. Neat
6. Tidy
7. Natty
8. Trim
9. Classy
10. Snappy
11. Sassy
12. Nifty
13. Stylish
14. Spick and Span
15. Prim
16. Kempt
17. Immaculate

Antonyms:

1. Messy
2. Scrubby
3. Scruffy
4. Shabby
5. Sloppy
6. Unkempt
7. Slovenly
8. Disheveled
9. Slouchy
10. Disorderly

Exercise:

1. This style is ideal for men of all ages who wish to convey a (dapper) look. (Syn)

1. Filthy
2. Messy
3. Stylish
4. Healthy

2. Smart (Ant)

1. Elegant
2. Shabby
3. Leisurely
4. Speedy

3. Her (debonair) combined with quick wit added to her oratory skills. (Syn)

1. Amorous 2. Churlish
3. Corpulent 4. Charming

4. Prim (Syn)

1. Muddy 2. Orderly
3. Petty
4. Nominal

5. Immaculate (Syn)

1. Messy
2. Spruce
3. Pester
4. Novice

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6. Tidy (Ant) 4.2

1. Unkempt 5.3

2. Orderly 6.1

3. Paltry 7.1

4. Adept 8.1

7. Her room looks very (messy) (Ant) 9.3

1. Organised 10.2

2. Untidy 11.1

3. Disordered 12.4

4. Chaotic

8. Shabby (Syn) DAPPER

1. Messy 1.3

2. Miserable 2.2

3. Prim 3.4

4. Impoverished 4.2

9. The boy looked (disheveled) and lost.(Ant) 5.2

1. Tidy 6.1

2. Infuriated 7.1

3. Clumsy 8.1

4. Excited 9.1

Answer.

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1.4

2.1

3.2

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39. Beneficent (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Generous
2. Helpful
3. Charitable
4. Munificent
5. Liberal
6. Magnanimous
7. Bighearted
8. Altruistic/ Philanthropic
9. Compassionate
10. Humanitarian
11. Bounteous
12. Divvy
13. Selfless
14. Largesse / Samaritan

Antonyms:

1. Selfish
2. Mean
3. Maleficent
4. Greedy
5. Self-centred
6. Misanthropic
7. Harsh

Idioms related to <u>HELPFULNESS</u>

1. Good Samaritan
2. Heart of gold
3. A giving person
4. Give the shirt of one's back
5. Milk of human kindness
6. Generous to a fault

Idioms related to <u>SELFISHNESS</u>

1. Cupboard love
2. Hard as nails
3. An axe to grind
4. A fair weather friend

Exercise

1. Generous (Ant)

1. Selfish
2. Liberal
3. Free
4. Selfless

2. Magnanimous (Syn)

1. Charitable
2. Malicious
3. Unstable
4. Suspicious

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3. He was a (liberal)who believed that men were inherently superior to women in every aspect of life. (Ant)

1. Conservative

2. Tolerant

3. Republican

4. Philanthropist

4. Compassionate(Ant)

1. Fashionable

2. Merciful

3. Likeable

4. Cruel

5. Mean (Ant)

1. Minute

2. Noble

3. Notorious

4. Novel

6. Misanthropic (Syn)

1. Antisocial

2. Philanthropic

3. Sociable

4. Humanitarian

7. Largesse (Syn)

1. Beneficent

2. Selfish

3. Saucy

4. Humane

8. Munificent (Syn)

1. Charitable

2. Placid

3. Sharp

4. Atrocious

9. Misanthropic (Syn)

1. Antisocial

2. Philanthropic

3. Sociable

4. Humanitarian

10. Charitable (Ant)

1. Harsh

2. Gentle

3. Seasoned

4. Haggard

40. Divvy (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Distribute
2. Share
3. Divide
4. Allocate
5. Apportion
6. Hand out / Dole out

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7. Give away / Give out

Antonyms:

1. Collect
2. Combine
3. Gather
4. Hold
5. Join
6. Keep

Exercise

1. Divvy (Syn)

1. Distribute

2. Unite

3. Banter

4. Engulf

2. Collect (Ant)

1. Hoard

2. Compose

3. Disperse

4. Collect

3. Apportion(Syn)

1. Hide

2. Allocate

3. Deter

4. Collect

4. Can you ---- the uno cards on the table? (gather) (Ant)

1. Spread

2. Place

3. Lift

4. Collect

Fixed Preposition

151. She has great affection…… me.

a. for b. in

c. with d. to

152. Kanak is endowed……. many great qualities.

a. in b. with

c. of d. by

153. Our country is committed …… a policy of peaceful co-existence.

a. with b. for

c. to d. by

154. He stumbled at the stone and fell….. a ditch.

a. on b. into

c. in d. within

155. The storehouse was infested …….. rats.

a. by b. of

c. with d. in

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156. You must adapt yourself…..... your new surroundings.

a. towards b. in

c. with d. to

157. We should abide …… the rules of the institution.

a. with b. to

c. on d. by

158. He has resigned himself…….. fate.

a. in b. into

c. for d. to

159. We should always stick to our decisions otherwise the people will mock …… us.

a. over b. at

c. on d. upon

160. I shall take revenge…… you.

a. at b. on

c. with `d. from

161. I cannot deprive him…….. his rights.

a. of b. off

c. with d. form

162. She was compensated …… the loss of her belongings.

a. over b. for

c. against d. at

163. Sometimes it is difficult to deal…….. a problem child.

a. with b. in

c. at d. out

164. Ajeet was annoyed……. his wife.

a. upon b. on

c. with d. at

165. Do not quarrel……. your neighbours.

a. from b. by

c. with d. against

166. The people, who depend……. others, can never prosper in life.

a. on b. over

c. at d. upon

167. Your statement is replete…… contradictions.

a. by b. of

c. in d. with

168. She smiled…… my words.

a. at b. upon

c. on d. over

169. The president will be provided ….. all the facilities he is entitled to.

a. of b. to

c. by d. with

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170. It is difficult for me to part …….. my belongings.

a. From b. of

c. with d. off

171. He was charged…… murder and brought to trial.

a. by

b. for

c. of d. with

172. Everything hinges _____ what happens next.

(a) of

(b) with

(c) in (d) on

173. Corruption is a standing hindrance ____ the nation's development.

(a) of (b) over

(c) to (d) upon

174. The farmers suffered because the monsoon did not arrive ____ time.

(a) at (b) by

(c) on (d) after

175. The garbage has been disposed _____ .

(a) off

(b) of

(c) with (d) out

176. You are trying to drag me _____ a controversy.

(a) in (b) into

(c) from (d) for

177. I complimented him .... his brilliant success in the examination.

a. over b. for

c. to d. on

178. He was heartbroken_____ Mary's indifference to him.

a. at b. on

c. to d. for

179. Translate this passage from English _____ Telugu.

a. in

b. into

c. to d. upto

180. This accommodation is not adequate_____ the needs of our family.

a. upto b. on

c. to d. for

181. I challenged him____ a game of chess.

a. for

b. to

c. against d. on

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182. I saw my friend leaning _____ a lamp-post with a cigarette between his lips.

a. over b. upon

c. against d. on

183. He is in the habit of finding fault _____ other's works.

a. in

b. with

c. of d. for

184. The college term will end _____ a month.

a. in

b. with

c. from d. about

185. They wanted advice _____ how they could procure funds for their new business.

a. about b. to

c. for d. on

186. There is already opposition _____ the government's industrial policy.

a. for b. from

c. to d. towards

187. In an election, those in power should feel obliged to compete _____ their opponents on equal terms.

a. with b. towards

c. against d. on

188. The work on this project has been seriously set _____.

a. on

b. off

c. of d. about

189. This house is too expensive to keep _____.

a. off b. up

c. to d. at

190. Gandhiji was dearer_____ all.

a. from b. for

c. since

d. to

191. A girl with blue eyes has just gone _____ the door.

a. off

b. in

c. besides d. through

192. He genius borders _____ lunacy.

a. to

b. upto

c. on d. about

193. Ravi is married _____ a cousin of mine.

a. with

b. to

c. off d. alongwith

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194. When I parted _____ my mother, there were tears in my eyes.

a. from b. with

c. off d. of

195. Conversation was carried on _____ whispers.

a. with b. by

c. away d. in

196. He gave an order _____ a cup of coffee.

(a) of (b) for

(c) about (d) on

197. My mother is afflicted ___ pain in the joints.

(a) with (b) at

(c) of (d) for

198. With your help, I could tide _____ my difficulties.

(a) away (b) off

(c) against (d) over

199. The minister will be requested to give ____ the prizes to the winners.

(a) away

(b) in

(c) off (d) no preposition

200. She said that she was feeling sick ____ heart.

(a) of

(b) in

(c) at (d) to

BENEFICENT

1.1 2.1 3.1 4.4 5.2 6.1 7.1

8.1 9.11 0.1

DIVVY

1.1 2.3 3.2 4.1

FIXED PREPOSITION

151.A 152.B 153.C 154.B 155.C 156.D 157.D

158.D 159.B 160.D 161.A 162.B 163.A 164.C

165.C 166.A 167.d 168.A 169.D 170.C 171.D

172.D 173.C 174.C 175.B 176.B 177.D 178.A

179.C 180.D 181.B 182.C 183.B 184.A 185.D

186.C 187.A 188.D 189.B 190.D 191.D 192.C

193.B 194.A 195.D 196.B 197.A 198.D 199.A

200.C

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41. Adversary

Synonyms :-

1. Opposer
2. Opponent
3. Competitor
4. Antagonist
5. Rival
6. Contender

Antonyms :-

1. Supporter
2. Ally/Allies
3. Endorser
4. Promoter
5. Follower
6. Accessary
7. Aides

8. Advocates

9. Partisans

10. Proponents

Exercise

1. Adversary (Syn)

1. Opponent

2. Prudent

3. Companion

4. Uniform

2.Opponent (Ant)

1. Presenter

2. Supporter

3. Professor

4. Mentor

3. Antagonist (Syn)

1. Evil

2. Amiable

3. Adversary

4. Nerd

4.Rival (Ant)

1.Comrade

2.Antagonist

3.Employer

4.Opponent

5.Ally (Ant)

1. Associate

2. Partner

3. Enemy

4. Friend

42. ADVERSITY

(Poor Condition)

Synonyms:

1. Tribulations
2. Plight

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3. Despair
4. Misery
5. Sufferings
6. Distress
7. Pitiful
8. Sorrow
9. Grief
10. Predicament
11. Affliction
12. Woe
13. Misfortune
14. Hardship
15. Disaster
16. Cataclysm
17. Apocalypse
18. Scourge
19. Catastrophe
20. Tragedy
21. Calamity

Antonyms :-

1. Prosperity
2. Opulence
3. Thriving
4. Flourishing
5. Abounding

Idioms related to “Adversity”

1. In dire straits
2. The tip of the iceberg
3. Catch – 22 situation
4. Bite the bullet
5. A devil of a time
6. Cross to bear
7. Have time of it
8. To feel the pinch (Financial hardship)

Idioms related to “Prosperity”

1. Milk and honey
2. Wheel of Fortune / Stroke of Fortune
3. Bed of roses
4. Born with a silver spoon
5. Rolling in money
6. Live high off the hog

Exercise.

1. Adversity (Ant)

1. Fortune
2. Affliction
3. Brilliance
4. Penury

2. I understand your (plight). (Ant)

1. Advantage

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2. Quandary

3. Dilemma

4. Predicament

3. Despair (Ant)

1. Vile

2. Hope

3. Annoy

4. Definite

4. Grief (Syn)

1. Pain

2. Content

3. Jollity

4. Pleasure

5. I am in a difficult (predicament) as I have two offers at a time. (Syn)

1. Dilemma

2. Success

3. Offer

4. Advantage

6. Affliction (Ant)

1. Predicament

2. Mortgage

3. Jeopardy

4. Consolation

7. He and his family members live in (prosperity). (Syn)

1. Poverty

2. Lofty

3. Richness

4. Hardship

8. Opulence (Syn)

1. View

2. Sagacity

3. Recognition

4. Prosperity

9. Misery (Ant)

1. Calamity

2. Despair

3. Tragedy

4. Thriving

10. Hardship (Syn)

1. Plight

2. Amity

3. Repercussion

4. Thriving

11. Scourge (Syn)

1. Tribulation

2. Search

3. Abounding

4. Prosperity

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12. Distress (Syn)

1. Woe

2. Attainment

3. Rancour

4. Prosperity

Adversary

1.1

2.2

3.3

4.1

5.3

Adversity

1.1

2.1

3.2

4.1

5.1

6.4

7.3

8.4

9.4

10.1

11.1

12.1

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43. ABOMINATION (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Odium
2. Disgust
3. Malice
4. Resentment
5. Pique
6. Hatred
7. Antipathy
8. Aversion
9. Dislike
10. Loathsome
11. Detestation
12. Repugnance
13. Ill-Will
14. Animosity
15. Abhorrence
16. Disdain
17. Anathema
18. Aspersion

Antonyms:

1. Liking
2. Admiration
3. Affection
4. Propensity
5. Proclivity
6. Penchant
7. Predilection
8. Fondness
9. Endearment
10. Inclination
11. Preference
12. Predisposition
13. Affinity

Exercise

1. Disgust (Syn)

1. Danger
2. Dislike
3. Doubt
4. Desire

2. Malice (Ant)

1. Liking
2. Arrogance
3. Hypocrisy
4. Truth

3. Resentment (Syn)

1. Calmness
2. Happiness
3. Anger
4. Relaxation

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4. Animosity (Ant)

1. Sarcasm
2. Benevolence
3. Bitterness
4. Contamination

5. Disdain (Syn)

1. Contempt
2. Acceptance
3. Withdraw
4. Admiration

6. Abomination (Ant)

1. Frailty
2. Abhorrence
3. Hatred
4. Propensity

7. Predilection (Syn)

1. Umbrage
2. Malice
3. Repugnance
4. Endearment

8. Antipathy (Syn)

1. Consternation
2. Langour
3. Proclivity
4. Repulsion

9. Detestation (Syn)

1. Fondness
2. Anathema
3. Admiration
4. Acceptance

10. Propensity (Ant)

1. Odium
2. Fondness
3. Withhold
4. Penchant

11. She has a (penchant) for art and craft.(Ant)

1. Hatred
2. Fear
3. Joy
4. Anxiety

44. Indigent

44. Indigent

Synonyms

1. Impoverished
2. Penniless
3. Penurious
4. Impecunious
5. Poor
6. Pauper
7. Insolvent

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8. Destitute
9. Broke
10. Down and out
11. Hard up
12. Beggarly
13. Mendicant
14. Deprived
15. Bankrupt

Antonyms

1. Rich
2. Wealthy
3. Affluent
4. Well off
5. Opulent
6. Moneyed
7. Prosperous
8. Luxurious

Exercise

1. Impoverished (Syn)

1. Spendthrift 2. Generous
3. Wealthy 4. Penniless

2. Penniless (Syn)

1. Broke 2. Reckless
3. Wealthy 4. Cranky

3. He says we are (indigent) now. (Syn)

1. Opulent 2. Barren
3. Wealthy 4. Poor

4. The manager decided to resign from his post as the bank was declared to be (insolvent). (Ant)

1. Independent 2. Bankrupt
3. Commercial 4. Affluent

5. After losing his job and his home, he found himself (Destitute) And living on the streets. (Ant)

1. Glorious 2. Disturbed
3. Affluent 4. Ridiculous

6. Bankrupt (Syn)

1. Insolvent 2. Well-off
3. Invert 4. Careless

7. Wealthy (Syn)

1. Poor 2. Depressed
3. Lacking 4. Affluent

8. Affluent (Syn)

1. Impoverished
2. Hostile
3. Prosperous
4. Authentic

9. Opulent (Syn)

1. Insolvent
2. Destitute
3. Flourishing

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4. Depressed

10. Pauper (Ant)

1. Local

2. Depraved

3. Prosperous

4. Depressed

11. Impecunious (Ant)

1. Indigenous

2. Depressed

3. Wealthy

4. Penurious

Abomination

1.2

2.1

3.3

4.2

5.1

6.4

7.4

8.4

9.2

10.1

11.1

indigent

1.4

2.1

3.4

4.4

5.3

6.1

7.4

8.3

9.3

10.3

11.3

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45. ENTREAT

Synonyms:

1. Request
2. Implore
3. Beseech
4. Plead
5. Importune
6. Supplicate
7. Pray
8. Beg
9. Urge
10. Appeal
11. Solicit
12. Adjure

Antonyms:

1. Order
2. Command
3. Compel
4. Force
5. Rob
6. Snatch
7. Coerce
8. Impel
9. Protest
10. Remonstrate
11. Obligate

Exercise:

1. Your words seemed more like a demand rather than a ____ (request). (syn)

1. Plea
2. Compromise
3. Contract
4. Order

2. Implore (Syn)

1. Honour
2. Plead
3. Command
4. Refuse

3. Beseech (Ant)

1. Engage
2. Request
3. Command
4. Appeal

4. Entreat (Syn)

1. Mourn
2. Reject
3. Adjure
4. Welcome

5. Urge (Syn)

1. Reply

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2. Refuse

3. Protest

4. Appeal

6. Appeal (Syn)

1. Charm

2. Challenge

3. Bloom

4. Growth

7. Solicit (Syn)

1. Degrade

2. Pretend

3. Request

4. Complicate

8. Compel (Syn)

1. Allow

2. Stop

3. Give

4. Obligate

9. Remonstrate (Ant)

1. Pray

2. Snatch

3. Demonstrate

4. Repress

10. We need to (protest) against this policy.(Ant)

1. Perk

2. Ascent

3. Supplicate

4. Validate

46. PURITANICAL

Synonyms:

1. Honest
2. Scrupulous
3. Ethical
4. Conscientious
5. Virtuous
6. Upright
7. Principled
8. Prudish
9. Priggish
10. Aboveboard
11. Straightforward
12. Forthright
13. Righteous

Antonyms:

1. Vicious
2. Unconscionable
3. Vulgar
4. Unjust
5. Corrupt
6. Reprobate

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7. Immoral
8. Dishonest

Exercise

2. Ethical (Ant)

1. Discord
2. Joyous
3. Mourning
4. Immoral

3. Conscientious (Syn)

1. Savage
2. Casual
3. Carefree
4. Sedulous

4. Forthright (Syn)

1. Artless
2. Uninhibited
3. Prudish
4. Bumpkin

5. Priggish (Ant)

1. Adroit 2. Unkind
3. Forthright 4. Reprobate

6. Aboveboard (Syn)

1. Dishonest 2. Upright
3. Unjust 4. Indecent

7. Vicious (Ant)

1. Unfortunate 2. Virtuous
3. Sinful 4. Baneful

8. Vulgar (Ant)

1. Senior 2. Decreased
3. Ignorant 4. Refined

9. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word ('IMMORAL') from the given sentence.

The city of Hamburg and its surrounding region have generally decent health, with no pandemic illnesses having lately developed to any significant degree. (ant)

1. Degree 2. Decent
3. Illness 4. Region

Entreat

1.1 2.2 3.3 4.3 5.4 6.1 7.3 8.4 9.1 10.3

Puritanical

2.4 3.4 4.3 5.4 6.2 7.2 8.4 9.2

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47. RANCID (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Sour
2. Stale
3. Foul
4. Rotten
5. Putrid / Putred
6. Fetid
7. Musty
8. Decayed
9. Unpleasant

Antonyms:

1. Fresh
2. New
3. Clean
4. Pure
5. Pleasant

Exercise:

1. Rancid (Ant)

1. Fresh

2. Rough

3. Rotten

4. Urgent

2. It is surprising to see ----- (stale) apples available throughout the year. (Syn)

1. Fresh

2. Old

3. Musty

4. Stuffy

3. Foul (Ant)

1. Nasty

2. Fair

3. Proud

4. Vile

4. Rancid (Syn)

1. Shy

2. Fetid

3. Talkative

4. Tall

5. Putrid (Ant)

1. Lucid

2. Fresh

3. Complex

4. Indecent

6. Musty (Syn)

1. Apathetic

2. Sorrowful

3. Faithful

4. Decayed

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48. AUTHENTIC (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Real
2. Original
3. Factual
4. Genuine
5. Actual
6. Veritable
7. Undisputed
8. Legitimate
9. Lawful
10. Rightful
11. Bonafide
12. Spurious
13. Phoney
14. Synthetic
15. Artificial
16. Sophistry
17. Chicanery

Antonyms:

1. Fictitious
2. Factitious
3. Fake
4. Specious
5. Ersatz
6. False
7. Forged
8. Counterfeit
9. Apocryphal
10. Bogus
11. Fallacy

Exercise:

1. Authentic (syn)

1. False
2. Genuine
3. Corrupt
4. Doubtful

2. Select the most appropriate synonym of the word ('factual') in the given sentence. The scientist's hypothesis was based on empirical evidence and rigorous experimentation. (syn)

1. Rigorous
2. Hypothesis
3. Evidence
4. Empirical

3. Genuine (syn)

1. Deceptive
2. Fabricated
3. Erroneous
4. Authentic

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4. Fictitious (syn)

1. Imaginary

2. Genuine

3. Factual

4. Confirmed

5. Counterfeit (Ant)

1. Genuine

2. False

3. Bogus

4. Artificial

6. Counterfeit (Ant)

1. Untrue

2. Capture

3. Unfair

4. Genuine

7. Bogus (Syn)

1. Humane

2. Strong

3. False

4. Criticize

8. Fallacy (Ant)

1. Cheat

2. Flaw

3. Trick

4. Truth

9. Spurious(Syn)

1. Spacious

2. Effective

3. Trendy

4. Fraudulent

10. Specious (Syn)

1. Ample

2. Roomy

3. Tiny

4. Forged

11. Ersatz (Syn)

1. Fake

2. Effrontery

3. Transient

4. Speedy

Rancid

1.1

2.3

3.2

4.2

5.2

6.4

Authentic

1.2

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2.4

3.4

4.1

5.1

6.4

7.3

8.4

9.4

10.4

11.1

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49. DESULTORY (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Unplanned / Careless
2. Random
3. Casual
4. Unmethodical
5. Unsystematic
6. Haphazard
7. Unthinking
8. Aimless
9. Perfunctory
10. Cursory
11. Unpremeditated
12. Arbitrary

Antonyms

1. Systematic
2. Organized
3. Methodical
4. Careful
5. Thorough
6. Planned
7. Purposeful

Exercise

1. The arms and legs lay in a careless (Ant) way.

1. Vigilant
2. Unsafe
3. Neglectful
4. Forgetful

2. Random (Syn)

1. Arbitrary
2. Planned
3. Definite
4. Reasonable

3. Desultory (Ant)

1. Spiritual
2. Personal
3. Formal
4. Traditional

4. Haphazard (Syn)

1. Random
2. Sociable
3. Aggressive
4. Confident

5. Cursory (Syn)

1. Random 2. Sociable
3. Aggressive 4. Confident

6. Thorough (Ant)

1. Organised
2. Purposeful
3. Planned 4. Cursory

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7. You have made only (perfunctory) attempts to understand me! (Ant)

1. Adamant
2. Careful
3. Basic
4. Casual

50. AFFECTATION

Syn:

1. Show Off
2. Sophistry
3. Flaunt
4. Display
5. Ostentation
6. Hypocrisy
7. Swank
8. Flaunt
9. Pretence
10. Sham
11. Pomp

Antonyms:

1. Genuity
2. Reality
3. Authenticity
4. Veracity

Exercise:

1. Flaunt (Ant)

1. Cover
2. Flash
3. Boast
4. Sport

2. Affectation (Syn)

1. Inclination
2. Hypocrisy
3. Sincerity
4. Fondness

3. Pretence (Ant)

1. Reality
2. Impotence
3. Arrogance
4. Intolerance

4. Sham (Ant)

1. Veracity
2. Impunity
3. Amity
4. Display

5. Swank(Syn)

1. Sophistry
2. Joke
3. Chance
4. Introvert

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6. Ostentation (Syn)

1. Show off

2. Evaluation

3. Provocation

4. Guidance

7. Pomp (Ant)

1. Authenticity

2. Party

3. Sham

4. Flaunt

Fixed Preposition

201. Those who count _____ other's help generally lose the game.

(a) about (b) above

(c) around (d) on

202. The lion sprang ____ the cow.

(a) upon

(b) on

(c) over

(d) off

203. Nepal lies _____ India and China.

(a) among

(b) beyond

(c) between (d) below

204. I shall stand by you.... thick and thin.

(a) in

(b) into

(c) about (d) through

205. Mohini resembles _____ her mother.

(a) with

(b) after

(c) to (d) no preposition

206. The minister has promised to look _____ the matter.

(a) at (b) into

(c) for (d) about

207. Employees who have twenty-five years service become entitled_____ a pension.

(a) of (b) on

(c) to (d) towards,

208. Poor old Mr. Singh, he has suffered _____ rheumatism for twenty years.

(a) with (b) of

(c) from (d) no preposition

209. The frustrated lover jumped _____ the river.

(a) in

(b) within

(c) at (d) into

210. You are advised to learn this lesson word_____ word.

(a) for

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(b) by

(c) to (d) in

211. Nearly sixty years have gone by ____ Gandhiji passed away.

a. till

b. until

c. off d. since

212. Let us discuss ___ The Female Education in India.

a. on

b. about

c. of d. no preposition

213. I can write a book _____ grammar.

(a) on

(b) of

(c) about (d) in

214. Each boy and each girl was presented ____ sweets.

(a) away

(b) with

(c) to (d) no preposition

215. There are certain rare qualities which raise a man ____ the common breed of men.

(a) over (b) on

(c) above (d) upon

216. The amazing thing about Gandhiji was that he adhered _____ his ideals and to his conception of truth.

(a) on (b) against (c) for (d) to

217. Tagore was awarded the Nobel Prize ____ literature.

(a) into

(b) of

(c) for (d) about

218. A house-owner can throw you ___ the street any moment.

(a) onto

(b) on

(c) to (d) towards

219. A miser cannot part ____ his gold.

(a) from

(b) to

(c) of (d) with

220. An educated man should know what is first rate in those activities which spring ____ the creative and intellectual faculties of human nature.

(a) from (b) out of

(c) to (d) on

221. An epidemic of influenza broke out last winter, and did not die _____ for many months.

(a) of (b) down

(c) out (d) no preposition

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222. Cigarette smoking is injurious _____ health.

(a) to

(b) for

(c) on (d) at

223. Five hundred rupees was allotted for the purchase ofbooks _____ physics.

(a) of (b) about

(c) in (d) on

224. Does the-old lady object ___ my smoking cigarettes?

(a) on

(b) of

(c) to (d) for

225. I went on holiday _____ a friend.

(a) by

(b) with

(c) for (d) no preposition

226. Mohan may be slow_____ his work.

(a) at

(b) for

(c) about (d) to

227. Socrates was the greatest of the ancient Greek philosophers and was a seeker .....truth.

(a) of (b) after

(c) for (d) on

228. The world is disgusted _____ frequent display of violent behavior.

a. of b. from

c. in d. with

229. I would willingly part _____ my goat.

a. from b. with

c. of d. no preposition

230. The young boy was enchanted _____ the beauty of the girl.

(a) at (b) by

(c) with (d) in

231. Be content.. ..... what you have.

(a) by (b) with

(c) of (d) in

232. Sindhu was greatly amused ..... the performance of the dancing goats.

(a) from (b) on

(c) at (d) in

233. Sudha got divorce _____ her husband.

(a) from

(b) of

(c) to (d) at

234. When this young person called _____ me, she was all dressed up.

(a) at (b) off

(c) on (d) up

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235. It has been hardly ten years_____ the reform was introduced.

(a) on (b) over

(c) since (d) no preposition

236. We searched _____ happiness in vain.

a. into b. in

c. for

d. after

237. He emphasized _____ his point.

(a) on (b) at

(c) over

(d) no preposition

238. We entered _____ the class room.

(a) into (b) in

(c) for

(d) no preposition

239. The Hindustan Times aspires to have a million readers _____ the next year.

(a) by (b) to

(c) until (d) through

240. As I approached _____ him, he turned and walked away.

(a) to

(b) beside

(c) by (d) no preposition

241. ____ uranium, we can use another metal thorium to produce nuclear power..

(a) besides (b) beside

(c) against (d) of

242. The prisoner was bound _____ a chain.

(a) with (b) by

(c) from

(d) on

243. He was honorably acquitted ____ the charge.

(a) from (b) of

(c) off

(d) for

244. Monkeys live _____ trees.

(a) on (b) upon

(c) into (d) in

245. The train is running _____ time.

(a) on

(b) in

(c) at (d) to

246. Students should be ordered to write only ____ ink.

(a) with (b) of

(c) from

(d) in

247. He abandoned his comrade _____ the wolves.

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(a) to (b) with

(c) for (d) towards

248. The godown is infested _____ rats.

a. of b. about

c. with d. in

249. Bangs alternated ____ crashes.

a. in b. with

c. from d. no preposition

250. The writer accuses the national government ____ resorting to violence.

a. of b. for

c. with d. on

Fixed Preposition Answer:

201.d 202.a 203.c 204.d 205.d

206.b 207.c 208.c 209.d 210.a

211.d 212.d 213.a 214.b 215.c

216.d 217.c 218.b 219.d 220.a

221.b 222.a 223.d 224.c 225.b

226.a 227.a 228.d 229.b 230.c

231.b 232.c 233.a 234.c 235.c

236.c 237.d 238.d 239.a 240.d

241.a 242.a 243.b 244.d 245.a

246.d 247.a 248.c 249.b 250.a

Desultory

1.1

2.1

3.3

4.1

5.1

6.4

7.2

Affectation

1.1

2.2

3.1

4.1

5.1

6.1

7.1

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51. ADULATION (noun)

Syn:

1. **Obsequiousness**
2. **Flattery**
3. **Cajolery**
4. **Coax**
5. **Sycophancy**
6. **Fawning**
7. **Blandishment**
8. **Wheedle**
9. **Bootlicking**
10. **Toady**
11. **Inveiglement**
12. **Servility**

Antonyms:

1. **Criticism**
2. **Obloquy**
3. **Reproach**
4. **Condemnation**
5. **Aspersion**
6. **Vituperation**

Exercise:

1. Obsequiousness(Syn)

A. Rebellion

B. Assertiveness

C. Servility

D. Arrogance

2. Adulation (Syn)

A. Flattery

B. Criticism

C. Accusation

D. Disregard

3. Cajolery (Ant)

A. Adoration

B. Coaxing

C. Fawning

D. Criticism

4. Coax(Syn)

A. Command

B. Force

C. Persuade

D. Ignore

5. Sycophancy (Syn)

A. Reproach

B. Admiration

C. Aspersion

D. Obloquy

6. Fawn (Syn)

A. Mock

B. Dismiss

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C. Wheedle

D. Neutral

7. Blandishment (Syn)

A. Praise

B. Insult

C. Negate

D. Refusal

8. Bootlicking (Syn)

A. Flattery

B. Authority

C. Rebellion

D. Neglect

9. Toady (Syn)

A. Opponent

B. Flatterer

C. Leader

D. Honest critic

10. Inveigle (Syn)

A. Harass

B. Deceive

C. Resist

D. Flatter

52. IMBECILE (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. **Stupid**
2. **Foolish**
3. **Asinine**
4. **Fatuous**
5. **Dunce**
6. **Nincompoop**
7. **Fatuous**
8. **Idiotic**
9. **Nonsensical**
10. **Simpleton,**
11. **Puerile**
12. **Jerk/ Obtuse**
13. **Knucklehead**
14. **Ignoramus**
15. **Vacuous**

Antonyms:

1. **Bright**
2. **Intelligent**
3. **Smart/ Sharp**
4. **Sensible**
5. **Judicious**
6. **Prudent**
7. **Sagacious**
8. **Sapient**
9. **Astute**
10. **Acute**

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Exercise:

1. Imbecile (Ant)

1. Infallible

2. Genius

3. Ingenuous

4. Impeccable

2. Suggesting that Irish inflation may have a knock on effect on the euro zone is (fatuous) and absurd. (ant)

1. Relevant

2. Meek

3. Sensible

4. Serious

3. Bright (Ant)

1. Active

2. Charming

3. Colourful

4. Bleak

4. Vacuous (Ant)

1. Sagacious

2. Shabby

3. Leisurely

4. Speedy

5.Judicious (Syn)

1. Careless

2. Short-sighted

3. Sapient

4. Imprudent

6. Prudent (syn)

1. Reckless

2. Rude

3. Hasty

4. Cautious

7. Sagacious (syn)

1. Precious **2. Delicious**

3. Malicious **4. Judicious**

8. Astute (syn)

1. Shrewd **2. Impolite**

3. Dull **4. Crude**

9. Nincompoop (Syn)

1. Chronic **2. Dire**

3. Faithful **4. Obtuse**

ADULATION

1.C 2.A 3.D 4.C 5.B 6.C

7.A 8.A 9.B 10.D

IMBECILE

1.2 2.3 3.4 4.1 5.3 6.4

7.4 8.1 9.4

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53. EXIGENCY (noun)

Syn:

1. Urgency
2. Emergency
3. Necessity
4. Contingency
5. Eventuality
6. Crisis

Antonyms:

1. Normality
2. Commonness
3. Regularity
4. Routineness

Exercise

1. The covid-19 outbreak has caused a global education (crisis). (syn)

1. Legacy

2. Catastrophe

3. Inhibition

4. Hoard

2. Antonym of the word ('regularity') from the given sentence.

The doctor's examination revealed a significant abnormality in the patient's cardiovascular system. (ant)

1. Examination 2. Abnormality
3. Significant 4. Revealed

54. BEQUEATH (verb)

Syn:

1. Forsake
2. Abdicate
3. Renounce
4. Denounce
5. Relinquish
6. Shun
7. Abjure
8. Quit
9. Abandon
10. Abnegate
11. Forswear
12. Forgo
13. Cast off
14. Leave
15. Desert

Antonyms:

1. Accept
2. Adopt
3. Retain
4. Follow
5. Pursue
6. Persevere

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7. Persist
8. Withhold
9. Embrace

Exercise

1. Renounce (Syn)

1. Condone
2. Hamper
3. Prevent
4. Forsake

2. Denounce (Ant)

1. Praise
2. Relieve
3. Criticise
4. Dainty

3. Abandon (Syn)

1. Toleration
2. Relinquish
3. Cherish
4. Construct

4. Shun (Ant)

1. Dodge
2. Reject
3. Avoid
4. Cherish

5. Forswear (Ant)

1. Agree
2. Oath
3. Deny
4. Confirm

6. Abjure (Syn)

1. Affirm
2. Obstruct
3. Abandon
4. Chastise

7. Retain (syn)

1. Gain
2. Convey
3. Maintain
4. Destroy

8. Abnegate (Ant)

1. Pursue
2. Entail
3. Reward
4. Mar

9. Persist (Syn)

1. Continue
2. Cease
3. Halt
4. Forget

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55. AGILE (Adj)

Syn:

1. Active
2. Quick
3. Fast
4. Nimble
5. Swift
6. Brisk
7. Alacritous
8. Prompt
9. Spry
10. Celeritous

Antonyms:

1. Languid
2. Lax
3. Listless
4. Lethargic
5. Lazy
6. Slothful
7. Indolent

Exercise:

1. Agile (Ant)

1. Prompt

2. Energetic

3. Lethargic

4. Youthful

2. Spry (Syn)

1. Similar

2. Quick

3. Lazy

4. Quiet

3. Prompt (Syn)

1. Lengthy
2. Quick

3. Slow
4. Gradual

4. Earlier I use to knit very fast, but due to old age my fingers are not so (nimble). (Syn)

1. Agile
2. Sluggish
3. Mild
4. Obscure

5. Taking a (Brisk) walk can often induce a feeling of well-being. (Ant)

1. Late Night

2. Slow

3. Quick

4. Dusky

6. Lax (Syn)

1. Careful

2. Deprived

3. Negligent

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4. Needy

7. This medicine can make you feel (lethargic) and dizzy. (Syn)

1. Inactive

2. Vivacious

3. Kinetic

4. Mysterious

8. Indolent (Ant)

1. Lazy

2. Sluggish

3. Unskilled

4. Active

9. Alacritous(Syn)

1. Brisk

2. Slothful

3. Subtle

4. Adroit

10. Celeritous(Ant)

1. Languid

2. Slang

3. Unusual

4. Active

Exigency

1.2

2.2

Bequeath

1.4

2.1

3.2

4.4

5.1

6.3

7.3

8.1

9.1

Agile

1.3

2.2

3.2

4.1

5.2

6.3

7.1

8.4

9.1

10.1

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56. QUIXOTIC (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. **Impractical**
2. **Utopian**
3. **Chimerical**
4. **Dreamy**
5. **Fanciful**
6. **Hallucinatory**
7. **Fictitious**
8. **Intangible**

Antonyms:

1. **Pragmatic**
2. **Realistic**
3. **Feasible**
4. **Possible**
5. **Workable**
6. **Empirical**
7. **Plausible**
8. **Tenable**
9. **Probable**
10. **Viable**
11. **Tangible**

Exercise:

1. Fictitious (Syn)

1. Imaginary
2. Genuine

3. Factual
4. Confirmed

2. Pragmatic (Ant)

1. Dull
2. Aesthetic

3. Impractical
4. Prudent

3. Plausible (Syn)

1. Untenable
2. Irrational

3. Credible
4. Irresistible

4. Empirical (Syn)

1. Dreamy
2. Diabolical

3. Practical
4. Comical

5.Chimerical (Syn)

1. Fanciful
2. Possible

3. Viable
4. Workable

6. Utopian (Ant)

1. Feasible
2. Dreamy

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3. Fictitious
4. Inimical

7. Quixotic (Ant)

1. Practical
2. Exotic

3. Caustic
4. Dreamy

8. Tenable(Syn)

1. Plausible
2. Irrational

3. Capable
4. Impractical

9. Feasible(Syn)

1. Probable
2. Horrible

3. Credulous
4. Incredible

57. IMPUDENT (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. **Rude**
2. **Impolite**
3. **Insolent**
4. **Disrespectful**
5. **Impertinent**
6. **Cheeky**
7. **Saucy**
8. **Discourteous**
9. **Effrontery**
10. **Curt**
11. **Abrupt**
12. **Brazen**
13. **Brusque**
14. **Brash**

Antonyms:

1. **Humble**
2. **Courteous**
3. **Respectful**
4. **Deferential**
5. **Dignified**
6. **Courtly**

Exercise:

1. Impudent (Ant)

1. Insolent
2. Confident

3. Triumphant
4. Polite

2. Insolent (Ant)

1. Courteous
2. Superior

3. Uncivil
4. Blunt

3. Impertinent (Syn)

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1. Personal
2. Irrelevant

3. Saucy
4. Polite

4. Brazen (Syn)

1. Tasty
2. Polite

3. Smooth
4. Cheeky

5. Curt (Ant)

1. Impolite
2. Polite

3. Dismal
4. Rude

6. He was (brusque) and candid in the interview. (Syn)

1. Vociferous
2. Abrupt

3. Pursue
4. Brave

7.The teacher was accused of (brazen) favouritism in assigning the grades. (Syn)

1. Modest **2. Shy**

3. Brash
4. Polite

8.Brash (Ant)

1. Dishonour
2. Pleasant

3. Modest

4. Arrogant

9. He was absolutely (courtly)------ to me. (Ant)

1. Discourteous
2. Solicitous

3. Polite
4. Genteel

10.I always enjoy the company of (respectful) teachers. (Syn)

1. Sociable
2. Deferential

3. Insolent
4. Admiring

11.Dignified (Ant)

1. Regal
2. Ordinary

3. Grand
4. Noble

QUIXOTIC

1.1 2.3 3.3 4.3 5.1 6.1

7.1 8.1 9.1

IMPUDENT

1.4 2.1 3.3 4.4 5.2 6.2

7.3 8.3 9.1 10.2 11.2

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58. IMPRUDENT (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Unwise
2. Injudicious
3. Indiscreet
4. Foolish
5. Inconsiderate
6. Doltish
7. Asinine

Antonyms:

1. Sagacious
2. Judicious
3. Wise
4. Prudent
5. Sane
6. Provident
7. Cautious
8. Discerning
9. Fore-Sighted

Exercise:

1. Sagacious (syn)

1. Precious

2. Delicious

3. Malicious

4. Judicious

2. Provident(syn)

1. Careless

2. Short-sighted

3. Sensible

4. Imprudent

3. Prudent (syn)

1. Reckless

2. Rude

3. Hasty

4. Cautious

4. Sane (ant)

1. Paranoid

2. Reposeful

3. Stoical

4. Halcyon

5. Discreet (ant)

1. Reckless

2. Watchful

3. Alert

4. Vigilant

6. Discerning (syn)

1. Rancid

2. Wanton

3. Atrocious

4. Foresighted

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59. LICENTIOUS (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Immoral
2. Lascivious
3. Libertine
4. Libidinous
5. Wanton
6. Profligate
7. Lustful
8. Corrupt
9. Dissolute
10. Debauched
11. Depraved
12. Ribald
13. Lewd
14. Promiscuous
15. Unchaste
16. Reprobate
17. Salacious
18. Flagrant

Antonyms:

1. Virtuous
2. Chaste
3. Moral
4. Upright
5. Pure
6. Principled
7. Ethical
8. Scrupulous

1. Select the most appropriate ANTONYM of the word ('IMMORAL') from the given sentence.

The city of Hamburg and its surrounding region have generally decent health, with no pandemic illnesses having lately developed to any significant degree. (ant)

1. Degree
2. Decent
3. Illness
4. Region

2. Chaste (syn)

1. Cruel
2. Vicious
3. Corrupt
4. Virtuous

3. Moral (syn)

1. Ethical
2. Honourable
3. Godliness
4. Symphony

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4. Pure (ant)

1. Lucid
2. Flawless
3. Complex
4. Indecent

5. Licentious (ant)

1. Discord
2. Joyous
3. Mourning
4. Honest

6. Salacious (syn)

1. Libertine
2. Upright
3. Scrupulous
4. Precious

7. Upright (ant)

1. Discerning
2. Jaunty
3. Morose
4. Libidinous

8. Profligate (syn)

1. Depraved
2. Chaste
3. Mourning
4. Doleful

9. Lewd (ant)

1. Virtuous
2. Reprobate
3. Misleading
4. Unprincipled

10. Ribald (ant)

1. Wanton
2. Jovial
3. Chaste
4. Immoral

Answer.

Imprudent

1.4 2.3 3.4 4.1 5.1 6.4

Licentious

1.2 2.4 3.1 4.4 5.4 6.1

7.4 8.1 9.1 10.3

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60. APLOMB (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Equilibrium
2. Equanimity
3. Coolness
4. Balance
5. Poise
6. Calmness
7. Composure
8. Phlegmatic
9. Sangfroid
10. Sanguinity
11. Hopefulness

Antonyms:

1. Agitation
2. Anxiety /Angst
3. Nervousness
4. Perturbation
5. Imbalance
6. Instability
7. Consternation
8. Overstrung
9. Fright
10. Dismay/ Distraught
11. Apprehension
12. Trepidation
13. Fear

Question

1. The interviewee tackled the question of the interviewer with substantia (aplomb). (syn)

1. Sanctity
2. Camaraderie
3. Hostility
4. Self assurance

2. Equilibrium (ant)

1. Stability
2. Imbalance
3. Adherence
4. Coolness

3. Sanguinity (syn)

1. Acrimony
2. Despondence
3. Optimism
4. Distrust

4. Anxiety (ant)

1. Discomfort
2. Relief
3. Agitation
4. Stress

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5. Fright (syn)

1. Bravery

2. Dread

3. Mockery

4. Composure

6. Select the most appropriate antonym for (‘apprehension’) in the given sentence.
Shradha was never in such a situation before; her excitement was understandable for her peers. (ant)

1. Before

2. Excitement

3. Peers

4. Situation

61. COLOSSAL (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Large
2. Huge
3. Enormous
4. Big
5. Great
6. Gigantic
7. Immense
8. Elephantine
9. Massive
10. Monumental
11. Vast
12. Mammoth
13. Tremendous
14. Prodigious
15. Titanic
16. Humongous
17. Behemoth
18. Gargantuan

Antonyms:

1. Small
2. Tiny
3. Little
4. Pygmy
5. Lilliputian
6. Miniature
7. Miniscule
8. Dwarfish
9. Midget
10. Wee
11. Minute
12. Diminutive
13. Petite

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Question

1. Colossal (syn)

1. Immense 2. Fantastic

3. Joyous 4. Entertaining

2. The boss wanted complete information. He asked about every ------- (huge) detail. (ant)

1. Mighty 2. Solid

3. Minute 4. Significant

3. Enormous (ant)

1. Irrelevant 2. Inapposite

3. Gigantic 4. Tiny

4. Monumental (ant)

1. Enormous

2. Insignificant

3. Important

4. Mysterious

5. Vast (ant)

1. Gigantic

2. Huge

3. Limitless

4. Petite

6. Tremendous (syn)

1. Eligible

2. Mammoth

3. Minute

4. Fortunate

7. Any book on any subject risks irrelevance or smallness compared to this (behemoth).(ant)

1. Colossal

2. Midget

3. Monster

4. Elephantine

8. Miniature (ant)

1. Average

2. Humongous

3. Teeny

4. Miniscule

9. Diminutive (syn)

1. Petite

2. Expeditious

3. Dangerous

4. Fallacious

APLOMB

1.4 2.2 3.3 4.2 5.2 6.2

COLOSSAL

1.1 2.3 3.4 4.2 5.4 6.2 7.2

8.2 9.1

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62. NONCHALANT (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Unconcerned
2. Apathetic
3. Indifferent
4. Stoic
5. Dispassionate
6. Stolid
7. Impassive
8. Lukewarm
9. Perfunctory

Antonyms:

1. Enthusiastic
2. Excited
3. Responsive
4. Interested
5. Intense
6. Careful
7. Considerate

Exercise:

1. The actor was ridiculed for her (nonchalant) attitude towards her work. (ant)

1. Boisterous

2. Unconcerned

3. Considerate

4. Indifferent

2. Apathetic (syn)

1. Instantaneous

2. Irrelevant

3. Irregular

4. Indifferent

3. You have made only (perfunctory) attempts to understand me. (ant)

1. Adamant

2. Careful

3. Basic

4. Casual

4. We were very much (enthusiastic) about our tour to Agra. (ant)

1. Obsessed

2. Anxious

3. Nonchalant

4. Inclined

5. Don't sound so (excited). (syn)

1. Casual 2. Eager

3. Composed 4. Tired

6. Intense (ant)

1. Thrifty

2. Moderate

3. Stately 4. Lavish

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63. CAPTIVITY (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Imprisonment
2. Confinement
3. Bondage
4. Slavery
5. Incarceration
6. Restriction
7. Impoundment
8. Internment
9. Serfdom
10. Hostage

Antonyms:

1. Freedom
2. Independence
3. Liberty
4. Emancipation
5. Release

Exercise:

1. Captivity (ant)

1. Accused

2. Persistent

3. Haemorrhage

4. Liberty

2. Imprisonment (syn)

1. Incapacitation

2. Incarceration

3. Emancipation

4. Release

3. Bondage(Syn)

1. Courage

2. Impoundment

3. Starvation

4. Scarcity

4. Serfdom (Syn)

1. Independence

2. Deliverance

3. Convenience

4. Dependence

5. Emancipation (syn)

1. Retaliation

2. Restrain

3. Confinement

4. Freedom

6. Hostage (Ant)

1. Guest 2. Presage

3. Adage 4. Liberty

7. Confinement (syn)

1. Restive 2. Release

3. Controversy 4. Impoundment

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8. Internment (syn)

1. Improvement

2. Enjoyment

3. Slavery

4. Merriment

64. WILY (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Cunning
2. Crafty
3. Arch
4. Artful
5. Tricky
6. Insidious
7. Deceitful
8. Sly
9. Underhand
10. Clever
11. Scheming
12. Intriguing
13. Shrewd
14. Foxy
15. Vulpine
16. Knavish
17. Sneaky

Antonyms:

1. Artless
2. Innocent
3. Naive
4. Frank
5. Open
6. Honest

Exercise:

1. Wily (Syn)

1. Frank
2. Friendly
3. Honest
4. Crafty

2. Artful (Syn)

1. Benign
2. Cunning
3. Ignorant
4. Prudent

3. Insidious (Syn)

1. Secure 2. Protected
3. Safe 4. Harmful

4. Sly (Ant)

1. Honest
2. Stiff
3. Thick 4. Slow

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5. Intriguing (Syn)

1. Ravishing

2. Glorifying

3. Stunning

4. Interesting

6. Shrewd (Syn)

1. Senseless

2. Judicious

3. Unthinking

4. Frivolous

7. Innocent (Ant)

1. Honest

2. Harmless

3. Cunning

4. Simple

8. Naïve (Ant)

1. Simple

2. Sophisticated

3. Immature

4. Unsuspicious

9. He is (frank) about what he sees as the short comings of his great predecessors. (ANT)

1. Evasive 2. Fortunate

3. Cheerful

4. Assisting

10. Honest (Ant)

1. Sly 2. Sincere

3. Daring 4. Strange

65. ADVENT (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Approach
2. Arrival
3. Emergence
4. Dawn
5. Onset
6. Outset
7. Inception
8. Genesis
9. Commencement

Antonyms:

1. Exit
2. End
3. Exodus
4. Departure
5. Termination

Exercise:

1. Advent (Syn)

1. Departure 2. Turn

3. Purpose

4. Arrival

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2. Approach (Ant)

1. Near

2. Reach

3. Avoid

4. Meet

3. Her sudden (arrival) has disarranged my plans. (ant)

1. Timing

2. Entrance

3. Departure

4. Appearance

4. Inception (Ant)

1. Beginning

2. Launch

3. Termination

4. Regression

5. Exodus (Ant)

1. Departure

2. Refund

3. Exit

4. Arrival

6. Termination (Syn)

1. Conduction

2. Conclusion

3. Consolation

4. Conviction

7. Commencement (Syn)

1. Beginning

2. Exodus

3. End

4. Conclusion

Answer.

NONCHALANT

1.3 2.4 3.2 4.3 5.2 6.2

CAPTIVITY

1.4 2.2 3.2 4.4 5.4 6.4

7.4 8.3

WILLY

1.4 2.2 3.4 4.1 5.4 6.2

7.3 8.2 9.1 10.1

ADVENT

1.4 2.3 3.3 4.3 5.4

6.2 7.1

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66. BREVITY (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Conciseness
2. Briefness
3. Abbreviation
4. Shortness
5. Summary
6. Pithy
7. Succinctness
8. Terseness
9. Compendium

Antonyms:

1. Lengthiness
2. Extended
3. Prolonged
4. Vastness
5. Longevity
6. Prolix *(Adj)*

Exercise:

1. Brevity (Syn)

a. Conciseness

b. Vastness

c. Longevity

d. Extended

2. Prolix (Ant)

a. Concise

b. Lengthy

c. Vast

d. Extended

3. Abbreviation (Syn)

a. Compendium

b. Prolonged

c. Derivation

d. Examination

4. Succinct (Syn)

a. Terse

b. Magnified

c. Instinct

d. Extinct

5. Pithy (Syn)

a. Briefness

b. Saucy

c. Needy

d. Lengthy

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67. INCLEMENT (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Harsh
2. Grave
3. Stern
4. Draconian
5. Unpleasant
6. Rigorous
7. Violent
8. Strict
9. Bitter
10. Severe
11. Unkind
12. Cruel
13. Merciless
14. Pitiless
15. Grim
16. Dire

Antonyms:

1. Clement
2. Balmy
3. Pleasant
4. Serene
5. Gentle
6. Merciful
7. Kind
8. Mild
9. Soft
10. Benevolent
11. Generous
12. Pitiful
13. Merciful

Exercise

1. Inclement (syn)

1. Dignified
2. Stormy
3. Wonderful
4. Pleasant

2. Grave (ant)

1. Native 2. Frivolous
3. Foreign 4. Serious

3. Stern (syn)

1. Gentle 2. Mild
3. Lenient 4. Strict

4. After a long and (rigorous) fast the lord appeared before him. (ant)

1. Severe
2. Oppressive
3. Lenient
4. Exhausting

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5. Violent (syn)

1. Kind

2. Aggressive

3. Calm

4. Mild

6. The (strict) measured employed by the government ensured there was peace. (syn)

1. Austere

2. Valiant

3. Liberal

4. Orthodox

7. Stringent (ant)

1. Stern

2. Lenient

3. Severe

4. Strict

8.The injury was so (severe) that he could not play again. (ant)

1. Implacable

2. Tolerant

3. Furious

4. Pungent

9. Cruel (ant)

1. Sympathetic

2. Unkind

3. Derogatory

4. Sensible

10. Grim (syn)

1. Forceful

2. Arrogant

3. Stern

4. Joyful

11. Austere (syn)

1. Promising

2. Stern

3. Brisk

4. Mitigating

12. Pleasant (ant)

1. Awful

2. Sorrowful

3. Faithful

4. Delightful

68. IMMACULATE (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Clean
2. Pure / Prim
3. Pristine
4. Unsoiled
5. Unstained
6. Spotless

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7. Flawless
8. Impeccable
9. Chaste
10. Tidy
11. Spick & Span

Antonyms:

1. Dirty
2. Muddy
3. Messy
4. Murky
5. Grubby
6. Unchaste
7. Stale
8. Filthy
9. Sullied
10. Besmirched
11. Impure
12. Defiled

Exercise:

1. Immaculate (syn)

1. Shy

2. Tidy

3. Talkative

4. Tall

2. Pristine(ant)

1. Lucid

2. Flawless

3. Complex

4. Sullied

3. Impeccable (ant)

1. Exquisite

2. Flawless

3. Unsullied

4. Blemished

4. Chaste (Syn)

1. Cruel

2. Vicious

3. Corrupt

4. Virtuous

5. Tidy (syn)

1. Muddy 2. Orderly

3. Petty 4. Nominal

6. Roads in villages during rainy seasons become (muddy) (syn)

1. Prim

2. Filthy

3. Blurred

4. Unsullied

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7. Her room looks very (messy) (ant)

1. Organised
2. Untidy
3. Disordered
4. Chaotic

8. Besmirched (syn)

1. Fresh
2. Old
3. Tainted
4. Pristine

9. His house was (filthy) with papers and eatables strewn everywhere. (ant)

1. Dignified
2. Integral
3. Barren
4. Clean

10. Grubby (ant)

1. Dirty
2. Segregated
3. Sterile
4. Flawless

69. ACCUSE (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Charge
2. Prosecute
3. Inculpate
4. Indict
5. Arraign
6. Blame
7. Allege
8. Implicate
9. Incriminate
10. Convict
11. Impeach

Antonyms:

1. Exculpate
2. Absolve
3. Acquit
4. Free
5. Defend
6. Exonerate
7. Excuse
8. Forgive
9. Pardon
10. Vindicate
11. Release
12. Exempt

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Exercise:

1. Accuse (ant)

1. Charge

2. Allege

3. Defend

4. Incriminate

2. Arraign (syn)

1. Arrive

2. Prosecute

3. Persecute

4. Arrange

3. Inculpate (ant)

1. Liberate

2. Shout

3. Rebuke

4. Criticise

4. Allege (syn)

1. Soothe

2. Placate

3. Charge

4. Appease

5. Absolve (Ant)

1. Accuse

2. Condone

3. Liberate

4. Pardon

6. Acquit (ant)

1. Leave

2. Condemn

3. Relieve

4. Replace

7. Defend (ant)

1. Assail

2. Abet

3. Shield

4. Deranged

8. Exonerate (ant)

1. Exempt

2. Absolve

3. Engage

4. Acquit

9. Pardon (syn)

1. Exempt 2. Condemn

3. Boast 4. Surge

10. Exculpate (syn)

1. Exonerate

2. Restrain

3. Confine

4. Allege

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70. CONTEMPLATE (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Ponder
2. Mull
3. Brood
4. Think
5. Consider
6. Meditate
7. Muse
8. Cogitate
9. Ruminate
10. Perpend
11. Dwell on
12. Chew over
13. Chew the cud

Antonyms:

1. Ignore
2. Disregard
3. Neglect
4. Forget
5. Discard
6. Dismiss
7. Reject

Exercise:

1. Contemplate (ant)

1. Ruminate
2. Disregard
3. Meditate
4. Retract

2. Ponder (syn)

1. Terminate
2. Celebrate
3. Agitate
4. Meditate

3. Disregard (syn)

1. Overlook
2. Demote
3. Hide
4. Mull

4. Neglect (ant)

1. Fail
2. Cogitate
3. Omit
4. Trust

5. Ponder(syn)

1. Adopt
2. Brood
3. Waste
4. Distribute

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6. Ruminate (syn)

1. Muse

2. Dismiss

3. Wither

4. Dither

71. REPRIMAND (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Scold
2. Chide
3. Rebuke
4. Chastise
5. Admonish
6. Upbraid
7. Reprove
8. Lambast
9. Punish

Antonyms:

1. Extol
2. Approve
3. Eulogise
4. Panegyrise
5. Applaud
6. Sanction
7. Praise
8. Exalt
9. Glorify

Exercise:

1. Reprimand (syn)

1. Command

2. Rebuke

3. Repeat

4. Complete

2. I am not going to (scold) you anymore. (syn)

1. Laud

2. Startle

3. Chide

4. Placate

3. Chide (syn)

1. Prevent

2. Rescue

3. Scold

4. Follow

4. Rebuke (syn)

1. Scold

2. Commend

3. Recall

4. Coerce

5. Chastise (syn)

1. Discipline

2. Order

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3. Several ties

4. Chase

6. Admonish (ant)

1. Applaud 2. Scold

3. Warn 4. Chide

7. Reprove (ant)

1. Rap

2. Eulogize

3. Pummel

4. Keelhaul

8. Extol (syn)

1. Dismay

2. Praise

3. Reward

4. Punish

9. Applaud (ant)

1. Commend

2. Magnify

3. Denounce

4. Approve

10. Sanction (syn)

1. Permit

2. Cancel

3. Degrade

4. Reward

11. They (praised) her for her bravery. (ant)

1. Acclaimed

2. Assaulted

3. Defended

4. Rebuked

12. Magnify (syn)

1. Expand 2. Magnanimous

3. Miniature 4. Underemphasise

BREVITY

1.A 2.A 3.A 4.A 5.A

INCLEMENT

1.2 2.2 3.4 4.3 5.2 6.1 7.2 8.2

9.1 10.3 11.2 12.1

IMMACULATE

1.2 2.4 3.4 4.4 5.2 6.2 7.1

8.3 9.4 10.4

ACCUSE

1.3 2.2 3.1 4.3 5.1 6.2 7.1

8.3 9.1 10.1

CONTEMPLATE

1.2 2.4 3.1 4.2 5.2 6.1

REPRIMAND

1.2 2.3 3.3 4.1 5.1 6.1 7.2 8.2

9.3 10.1 11.4 12.1

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72. ABROGATE (Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Dismiss
2. Reject
3. Abolish
4. Rescind
5. Repeal
6. Annul
7. Quash
8. Revoke
9. Nullify
10. Countermand
11. Repudiate
12. Invalidate

Antonyms:

1. Enforce
2. Implement
3. Ratify
4. Execute
5. Retain
6. Uphold
7. Persevere

Exercise:

1. Abrogate (syn)

1. Endure
2. Reveal
3. Extend
4. Repeal

2. Abolish (syn)

1. Eliminate
2. Establish
3. Introduce
4. Continue

3. Rescind (syn)

1. Revoke
2. Sign
3. Validate
4. Accredit

4. Repeal (ant)

1. Approve
2. Extend
3. Cancel
4. Annex
5. Revoke (syn)

1. Sustain
2. Regret
3. Annul
4. Repeat

6. Execute (syn)

1. Implement
2. Destroy
3. Employ
4. Organise

7. Retain (syn)

1. Gain
2. Convey

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3. Maintain

4. Destroy

8. Uphold (ant)

1. Support

2. Maintain

3. Endorse

4. Oppose

9. Repudiate (syn)

1. Surge

2. Nullify

3. Endorse

4. Obstruct

10. Countermand (ant)

1. Slander

2. Mar

3. Enforce

4. Oppose

73. VESTIGE (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Mark
2. Trace
3. Evidence
4. Ruins
5. Remains
6. Sign
7. Indication
8. Hint
9. Relics
10. Debris
11. Remainder
12. Residue
13. Remnants
14. Wreckage
15. Detritus
16. Waste

Antonyms:

1. Whole
2. Base
3. Core

Exercise:

1. Evidence

1. Duplicity

2. Information

3. Signature

4. Concealment

2. Relics (syn)

1. Doltish

2. Base

3. Appendage

4. Remnants

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3. Vestige (syn)

1. Ruins

2. Image

3. Honour

4. Core

4. Residue (syn)

1. Detritus

2. Core

3. Surplus

4. Contrite

5. Wreckage(syn)

1. Adage

2. Insane

3. Remainder

4. Breakage

6. Debris(ant)

1. Wreckage

2. Residue

3. Whole

4. Relics

74. ABRUPTLY (Adverb)

Synonyms:

1. Suddenly
2. Unexpectedly
3. Accidentally
4. Impetuously
5. Brusquely

Antonyms:

1. Gradually
2. Slowly
3. Progressively
4. Gingerly
5. Gently
6. Steadily
7. Successively

Exercise:

1. Gradually (ant)

1. Constantly

2. Abruptly

3. Readily

4. Steadily

2. Gently (syn)

1. Suddenly

2. Abruptly

3. Accidently

4. Successively

3. Abruptly (syn)

1. Constantly

2. Angrily

3. Ruefully

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4. Suddenly

4. Gingerly (syn)

1. Impetuously

2. Abruptly

3. Aggressively

4. Progressively

75. RUDIMENTARY (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Basic
2. Elementary
3. Imperfect
4. Undeveloped
5. Primary
6. Plain
7. Simple
8. Embryonic

Antonyms:

1. Difficult
2. Intricate
3. Complex
4. Hard
5. Involved
6. Abstruse
7. Complicated
8. Confused
9. Developed

Exercise:

1. This course will provide you with a (rudimentary) knowledge of Sanskrit. (syn)

1. Exhaustive

2. Extensive

3. Intricate

4. Elementary

2. Primary (ant)

1. Secondary

2. Effective

3. Active

4. Applicable

3. Embryonic (ant)

1. Complicated

2. Fruitful

3. Mean

4. Undeveloped

4. Instead of unambiguous statements, the union contents itself with (simple) analyses. (ant)

1. Clear

2. Auspicious

3. Complex

4. Antiquated

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5. Intricate (syn)

1. Basic

2. Complicated

3. Painted

4. Developed

6. The physics of laser driven fusion is very (complex). (syn)

1. Simplified

2. Convoluted

3. Modest

4. Streamline

7. Complicated (syn)

1. Painful

2. Complex

3. Simplified

4. Plain

8. He hesitated, studying her face with a (confused) expression. (syn)

1. Explicated

2. Puzzled

3. Calm

4. Assisted

76. PIQUANT (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Delectable
2. Impressive
3. High-Flavoured
4. Spirited
5. Bright
6. Lively
7. Charming
8. Palatable
9. Tasty
10. Spicy
11. Peppery
12. Luscious

Antonyms:

1. Unsavoury
2. Unpalatable
3. Insipid
4. Tasteless
5. Bland
6. Dull

Exercise:

1. Piquant (ant)

1. Pungent

2. Interesting

3. Bland

4. Peppery

2. Delectable (syn)

1. Luscious

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2. Horrible

3. Unpleasant

4. Offensive

3. Palatable (ant)

1. Insipid

2. Dramatic

3. Odd

4. Significant

4. Bland (syn)

1. Active

2. Charming

3. Colourful

4. Tasteless

5. Unsavoury (ant)

1. Cheerful

2. Speedy

3. Peppery

4. Durable

6. Tasty(ant)

1. Supreme

2. Transient

3. Hollow

4. Insipid

7. Insipid (ant)

1. Immense

2. Delectable

3. Opaque

4. Explicit

8. Dull (ant)

1. Unintelligent

2. Exciting

3. Disagreeable

4. Simple

77. EPHEMERAL (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Transient
2. Transitory
3. Temporary
4. Short-lived
5. Momentary
6. Evanescent
7. Fleeting
8. Vanishing
9. Brief
10. Fugacious

Antonyms:

1. Long-lived
2. Permanent

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3. Eternal
4. Perpetual
5. Everlasting
6. Endless
7. Immortal
8. Infinite
9. Durable
10. Lasting
11. Enduring
12. Persistent

Exercise:

1. Transient (syn)

1. Transform
2. Temporary
3. Transmit
4. Trap

2. Fugacious (ant)

1. Transitory
2. Lasting
3. Interim
4. Momentary

3. Fleeting (ant)

1. Passing
2. Brief
3. Lasting
4. Feeble

4. Permanent (ant)

1. Constant
2. Stable
3. Lasting
4. Temporary

5. Eternal (syn)

1. Balanced
2. Limited
3. Faithful
4. Everlasting

6. Caves like Ajanta lie in (perpetual) darkness. (syn)

1. Permanent
2. Extreme
3. Brief
4. Huge

7. Everlasting (ant)

1. Eternal
2. Transient
3. Fatuous
4. Misled

8. Evanescent (ant)

1. Momentary
2. Limited

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3. Perennial

4. Transitory

Answer

ABROGATE

1.4 2.1 3.1 4.1 5.3

6.1 7.3 8.4 9.2 10.3

VESTIGE

1.2

2.4

3.1

4.1

5.3

6.3

ABRUPTLY

1.2

2.4

3.4

4.4

RUDIMENTARY

1.4

2.1

3.1

4.3

5.2

6.2

7.2

8.2

PIQUANT

1.3

2.1

3.1

4.4

5.3

6.4

7.2

8.2

EPHEMERAL

1.2

2.2

3.3

4.4

5.4

6.1

7.2

8.3

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78. FIDELITY (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Loyalty
2. Faithfulness
3. Devotion
4. Allegiance
5. Dedication
6. Commitment
7. Fealty
8. Constancy
9. Devotedness
10. Steadfastness
11. Obeisance
12. Homage

Antonyms:

1. Disloyalty
2. Infidelity
3. Faithlessness
4. Treachery
5. Unfaithfulness
6. Inconstancy
7. Perfidy
8. Betrayal
9. Treason
10. Sedition
11. Renegade
12. Quisling

Exercise

1. Loyalty (syn)

1. Faithfulness
2. Pleasure
3. Dislike
4. Hatred

2. Renegade (ant)

1. Fugitive
2. Leader
3. Criminal
4. Follower

3. Fidelity(ant)

1. Disloyalty
2. Homage
3. Commitment
4. Devotion

4. Allegiance(syn)

1. Fugacious
2. Charge
3. Obeisance
4. Variance

5. Fealty (syn)

1. Fallacious
2. Rapacious
3. Steadfastness
4. Enmity

6. Constancy (ant)

1. Amicable
2. Respect
3. Treason
4. Fidelity

7. Perfidy (ant)

1. Faithfulness
2. Languid
3. Cranky
4. Fictitious

8. Quisling (syn)

1. Sedition
2. Lacking
3. Caustic
4. Follower

Fidelity Answer.

1.1 2.4 3.1 4.3 5.3 6.3 7.1 8.1

79. FOREWORD (Noun)

Synonyms:

1. Preface 2. Prologue 3. Introduction 4. Prelude

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5. Preamble

6. Overture

7. Induction

Antonyms:

1. Epilogue

2. Conclusion

3. End

4. Finish

Exercise:

1. Overture (syn)

1. Slander

2. Conclusion

3. Preamble 4. Finish

2. Prelude (syn)

1. Seclude

2. Occlude

3. Preface

4. Prank

3. Foreword (syn)

1. Reward

2. Ahead

3. Prelude

4. Epilogue

4. Induction (syn)

1. Introduction

2. Culmination

3. Presage

4. Inspection

Foreword Ans

1.3 2.3 3.3 4.1

80. AMISS (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Wrong

2. Faulty

3. Defective

4. Incorrect

5. Improper

6. Awry

7. Inappropriate

Antonyms:

1. Perfect

2. Whole

3. Complete

4. Flawless

5. Right

6. Seamless

Exercise:

1. Amiss (ant)

1. Impeccable

2. Marred

3. Careless

4. Vitiated

2. Perfect (syn)

1. Troublesome 2. Limited

3. Seamless 4. Laughable

3. Complete (ant)

1. Plentiful

2. Bulky

3. Partial 4. Vacant

4. Defective (syn)

1. Perfect

2. Banter

3. Faulty

4. Vicious

5. Flawless (syn)

1. Tainted

2. Awry

3. Inappropriate

4. Impeccable

Amiss Ans

1.1 2.3 3.3 4.3 5.4

81. Avaricious:

Synonym:

1. covetous

2. Greedy

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3. Rapacious
4. Ravenous
5. Insatiable
6. Voracious
7. Gluttonous
8. Edacious
9. Esurient
10. Starving
11. Hungry
12. Devouring

Antonyms:

1. Satiable
2. Generous
3. Contented
4. Satisfied
5. Selfless

Exercise:

1. Ravenous (syn)
1. Starved
2. Satiated
3. Full
4. Content
2. Insatiable (ant)
1. Fulfilled
2. Greedy
3. Urgent
4. Insistent
3. Voracious (syn)
1. Restrained
2. Greedy
3. Truthful
4. Moderate
4. Edacious (syn)
1. Sagacious
2. Gluttonous
3. Insolvent
4. Satiated
5. Generous (ant)
1. Selfish
2. Liberal
3. Free
4. Selfless
6. Avaricious (syn)
1. Comfortable
2. Dissatisfied
3. Thankful
4. Pleased
7. Covetous (ant)
1. Contented
2. Rapacious
3. Gracious
4. Pugnacious
8. Contented (ant)
1. Comfortable
2. Dissatisfied
3. Thankful
4. Pleased
9. Esurient (ant)
1. Lenient
2. Selfless
3. True
4. Precious

Avaricious Ans

1.1 2.1 3.2 4.2 5.1
6.2 7.1 8.2 9.2

82. OBLITERATE (verb)

Synonyms:

1. Wipe Out
2. Expunge
3. Wash Out
4. Annihilate
5. Demolish
6. Exterminate
7. Destroy
8. Extirpate

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9. Ravage

10. Root Out

11. Raze

12. Abolish

13. Eradicate

Antonyms:

1. Create

2. Revive

3. Build

4. Produce

5. Develop

Exercise:

1. Obliterate (syn)

1. Construct

2. Erase

3. Assist

4. Create

2. Expunge (ant)

1. Draw

2. Extirpate

3. Omit

4. Add

3. Demolish (ant)

1. Inferior

2. Annihilate

3. Unmethodical

4. Fabricate

4. No one can (exterminate) poverty from this world. (syn)

1. Secure

2. Plant

3. Eradicate

4. Endure

5. Last week's rain (ravaged) the whole city. (syn)

1. Retracted

2. Ruined

3. Rescinded

4. Reaffirmed

6. Raze (ant)

1. Build

2. Ease

3. Comfort

4. Ruin

7. Abolish (syn)

1. Eliminate

2. Establish

3. Introduce

4. Continue

8. Eradicate (syn)

1. Approve

2. Magnify

3. Condense

4. Uproot

9. Revive(syn)

1. Review

2. Depress

3. Restore

4. Damage

10. Annihilate(ant)

1. Arrange

2. Harvest

3. Destroy

4. Yield

Obliterate Ans

1.2	2.1	3.4	4.3	5.2
6.1	7.1	8.4	9.3	10.4

83. COMEUPPANCE (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Reprisal

2. Retaliation

3. Retribution

4. Revenge

5. Vengeance

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6. Nemesis

7. Castigation

8. Penalty

9. Compensation

Antonyms:

1. Forgiveness

2. Pardon

3. Amnesty

4. Exculpation

5. Impunity

Exercise:

1. We have always been told (retaliation) is not the key to resolving problems. (syn)

1. Revenge

2. Outcome

3. Pamper

4. Realisation

2. Vengeance (ant)

1. Custom

2. Revenge

3. Forgiveness

4. Compensation

3. Pardon (syn)

1. Release

2. Condemn

3. Boast

4. Spite

4. Nemesis (syn)

1. Reprisal

2. Amnesty

3. Impunity

4. Thesis

5. Retribution (syn)

1. Retaliation

2. Pardon

3. Badger

4. Exculpation

6. Comeuppance (syn)

1. Release

2. Forgiveness

3. Arrival

4. Penalty

Comeuppance Ans

1.1 2.3 3.1 4.1

5.1 6.4

84. DISPARATE (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Contrasting

2. Differing

3. Different

4. Dissimilar

5. Unlike

6. Incongruous

7. Varying

Antonyms:

1. Alike

2. Akin

3. Similar

4. Agreeing

5. Identical

6. Tantamount

7. Uniform

8. Congruous

9. Homogeneous

Exercise:

1. Incongruous (ant)

1. Unharmonious

2. Jaunty

3. Fettered

4. Appropriate

2. Similar (ant)

1. Alike

2. Equal

3. Several

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4. Unlike

3. Uniform (ant)

1. Differing

2. Homogenous

3. Relevant

4. Germane

4. Disparate (ant)

1. Inflexible 2. Variable

3. Tantamount 4. Irrelevant

5. Tantamount (ant)

1. Inert

2. Differing

3. Onus 4. Relevant

Disparate Ans

1.4 2.4 3.1 4.3 5.2

85. PERSNICKETY (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Fussy

2. Choosy

3. Finicky

4. Dainty

5. Selective

6. Squeamish

7. Particular

8. Fastidious

9. Finical

10. Faddish

11. Discriminating

Antonyms:

1. Undemanding

2. Lenient

3. Unconcerned

4. Forbearing

5. Uncomplaining

6. Tolerant

7. Uncritical

Exercise:

1. Dainty (syn)

1. Concise

2. Precious

3. Choosy

4. Boring

2. Selective (ant)

1. Doubtful

2. Careless

3. Planned

4. Stimulating

3. Fastidious (ant)

1. Fussy

2. Difficult

3. Undemanding

4. Cautious

4. Faddish (syn)

1. Unpopular

2. Phony

3. Bumptious

4. Fashionable

5. Persnickety (ant)

1. Tolerant

2. Furious

3. Marred

4. Strict

6. Finicky (ant)

1. Forbearing

2. Faddish

3. Particular

4. Strict

7. Choosy (syn)

1. Tenacious

2. Fastidious

3. Menacing

4. Senile

8. Fussy (ant)

1. Choosy

2. Ferocious

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3. Uncritical

4. Dainty

9. Discriminating (syn)

1. Novice

2. Finicky

3. Magnanimous

4. Supple

Persnickety Ans

1.3 2.2 3.3 4.4

5.1 6.1 7.2 8.3 9.2

86. EXTRANEOUS (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Irrelevant

2. Additional

3. Superfluous

4. Unnecessary

5. Unneeded

6. Redundant

Antonyms:

1. Essential

2. Important

3. Basic

4. Integral

5. Pertinent

6. Necessary

Exercise:

1. All these rules seem to be (irrelevant). (ant)

1. Meagre

2. Meaningful

3. Reluctant

4. Incidental

2. Redundant (syn)

1. Unsuitable

2. Unnecessary

3. Uninterested

4. Unparalleled

3. Improved rail transport is (essential) business. (syn)

1. Recommended

2. Trivial

3. Crucial

4. Technical

4. Pertinent (syn)

1. Improper

2. Overblown

3. Applicable

4. Presentable

5. Superfluous (ant)

1. Integral

2. Valuable

3. Atrocious

4. Precocious

6. Extraneous (syn)

1. Abundant

2. Overture

3. Applicable

4. Redundant

Extraneous Ans

1.2 2.2 3.3 4.3

5.1 6.4

87. COMELY (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Attractive

2. Beautiful

3. Good Looking

4. Charming

5. Appealing

6. Captivating

7. Gorgeous

8. Pulchritudinous

9. Enticing

Antonyms:

1. Ugly

2. Shocking

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3. Hideous
4. Repulsive
5. Ghastly
6. Frightful
7. Vile

Exercise:

1. Comely (ant)

1. Grandiloquent
2. Gorgeous
3. Gregarious
4. Grotesque

2. Beautiful (syn)

1. Pretty
2. Drab
3. Dull
4. Homely

3. Hideous (syn)

1. Repulsive
2. Pretty
3. Attractive
4. Plain

4. Repulsive (ant)

1. Steadfast
2. Superfluous
3. Pleasant
4. Hopeless

Comely Ans

1.4 2.1 3.1 4.3

88. Antediluvian (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Primal
2. Prehistoric
3. Aboriginal
4. Ancient
5. Primitive
6. Pristine
7. Archaic
8. Obsolete
9. Hoary
10. Antique/ primordial

Antonyms

1. Fresh
2. Modern
3. New
4. Recent
5. Novel 6. Current

Exercise:

1. Ancient (syn)

1. Contemporary
2. Unworn
3. Antique
4. Recent

2. Primitive (ant)

1. Technical
2. Racial
3. Sophisticated
4. Agricultural

3. Obsolete (ant)

1. Recent
2. Remote
3. Outdated
4. Rigid

4. Antique (syn)

1. Beautiful
2. Recent
3. Ancient
4. Modern

5. Modern (ant)

1. Popular
2. Ancient
3. Well known
4. Creaky

6. Novel (ant)

1. Customary
2. Ancient

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3. Traditional

4. Formal

Antediluvian Ans

1.3 2.3 3.1 4.3

5.2 6.2

89. Peruse(Verb)

Synonyms:

1. examine

2. inspect

3. study

4. wade through

5. scrutinize

6. look through

7. review/probe

8. check

Antonyms:

1. Neglect

2. Overlook

3. Put aside

4. Condone

5. Disregard

Idioms related to IGNORE

1. Turn a blind eye

2. Turn a deaf ear

3. Pay no heed

4. Give a cold shoulder

5. Turn one's back on

6. Let someone off with

7. Let bygones be bygones

Idioms related to EXAMINE

1. All ears

2. Take stock of the situation

3. Keep an eye on

4. Keep a weather eye on

Exercise:

1. Peruse (syn)

1. Draw

2. Narrate

3. Check

4. Pursue

2. Probe (syn)

1. Invite 2. Motivate

3. Push 4. Search

3. Neglect (ant)

1. Fail 2. Care

3. Omit 4. Trust

4. Condone (syn)

1. Forbid

2. Forgive

3. Prevent

4. Impose

Peruse Ans

1.3 2.4 3.2 4.2

90. Maverick (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Nonconformist

2. Rebel

3. Dissenter

4. Bohemian

5. Unconventional

6. Unorthodox

7. Iconoclast

8. Deviant

Antonyms:

1. Conforming

2. Conventional

3. Orthodox

4. Conservative

5. Narrow-minded

6. Parochial

7. Insular

8. Myopic

Exercise:

1. Maverick (ant)

1. Custodian

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2. Versatility

3. Conformist

4. Brilliance

2. Conventional (syn)

1. Customary

2. Contemporary

3. Unusual

4. Abnormal

3. Parochial(syn)

1. Patriarchal

2. Laughing

3. Harmonious

4. Narrow

4. Insular (syn)

1. Pernicious

2. Lax

3. Hateful

4. Myopic

5. Bohemian(syn)

1. Iconoclast

2. Insular

3. Conservative

4. Orthodox

Maverick Ans

1.3 2.1 3.4 4.4 5.1

91. Pithy (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Concise

2. Terse

3. Brief

4. Laconic

5. Succinct

6. Compendious

7. Compact

8. Condensed

9. Crisp

10. Skimpy

Antonyms:

1. Lengthy

2. Wordy

3. Enlarged

4. Redundant

5. Expanded

6. Prolix

7. Long-winded

8. Verbose

Exercise:

1. Concise (syn)

1. Brief

2. Lengthy

3. Modified

4. Edited

2. Terse (ant)

1. Succinct

2. Verbose

3. Loathe

4. Concise

3. Laconic (syn)

1. Exaggerated

2. Lengthy

3. Talkative

4. Concise

4. Succinct (ant)

1. Lengthy

2. Hasty

3. Hearty

4. Empty

5. Compact (ant)

1. Prolix

2. Curt

3. Compendium

4. Terse

6. Skimpy (syn)

1. Amicable 2. Pithy

3. Tenacious 4. Frank

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7. Prolix (syn)

1. Harangue

2. Rancid

3. Concise

4. Expanded

Pithy Ans

1.1 2.2 3.4 4.1

5.1 6.2 7.4

92. Extraneous (adj)

Synonyms:

1. Irrelevant

2. Additional

3. Superfluous

4. Unnecessary

5. Unneeded

6. Redundant

Antonyms:

1. Essential

2. Important

3. Basic

4. Integral

5. Pertinent

6. Necessary

Exercise:

1. All these rules seem to be (irrelevant). (ant)

1. Meagre 2. Meaningful

3. Reluctant 4. Incidental

2. Redundant (syn)

1. Superfluous

2. Arrogant

3. Essential

4. Ignorant

3. Improved rail transport is (essential) for business. (syn)

1. Recommended

2. Trivial

3. Crucial

4. Technical

4. Pertinent (syn)

1. Improper

2. Overblown

3. Applicable

4. Presentable

Extraneous Ans

1.2 2.1 3.3 4.3

93. Pester(Verb)

Synonyms:

1. Annoy/ Irritate

2. Worry

3. Vex

4. Tease/torment

5. Bother/ Banter

6. Heckle

7. Nettle

8. Harass/hound

9. Trouble/bully

10. Badger / beleague

11. Persecute

12. goad

Antonyms:

1. Comfort

2. Soothe

3. Please

4. Calm

5. Assuage

6. Mitigate

7. Conciliate

8. Mollify

9. Appease

10. Allay/tranquilise

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11. Placate/pacify

Idioms related to "Annoy"

1. To ruffle someone's feathers
2. To get in someone's hair
3. To get someone's goat
4. To drive someone up the wall
5. To be like a red rag to a bull
6. To get / Put someone's back
7. To get on someone's nerves
8. To give someone a hard time

Idioms related to Calm Down

1. Hold your horses
2. Simmer down
3. Pull yourself together
4. Keep your cool
5. Take it easy
6. Let your hair down

Exercise:

1. Pester (Syn)

1. Adore
2. Annoy
3. Abuse
4. Amuse

2. Annoy (ant)

1. Comfort
2. Miff
3. Get
4. Ruffle

3. Irritate (ant)

1. Shock
2. Delight
3. Frighten
4. Annoy

4. Vexed (syn)

1. Appeased 2. Assisted
3. Agitated 4. Appeal

5. Banter (syn)

1. Repartee 2. Rebuke
3. Reliance 4. Commendation

6. The guest was (heckled) by the spectators. (syn)

1. Calmed
2. Aided
3. Taunted
4. Helped

7. Comfort (ant)

1. Luxury
2. Enjoyment
3. Happiness
4. Discontentment

8. Soothe (syn)

1. Move
2. Pacify
3. Instigate
4. Escalate

9. Calm (syn)

1. Cranky
2. Relaxed
3. Joyful
4. Clean

10. Assuage (ant)

1. Relieve
2. Decrease
3. Provoke
4. Soothe

11. Mitigate (ant)

1. Reform
2. Sharpen
3. Mend
4. Aggravate

12. Appease (syn)

1. Pacify
2. Irritate
3. Excite
4. Worsen

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13. Allay (syn)

1. Relieve

2. Release

3. Arrange

4. Allure

14. Pacify (ant)

1. Placate

2. Assuage

3. Aggravate

4. Quell

14. Exacerbate (syn)

1. Worsen

2. Alleviate

3. Elevate

4. Quaint

Answer.

1.2 2.1 3.2 4.3 5.1

6.3 7.4 8.2 9.2 10.3

11.4 12.1 13.1 14.3 15.1

94. BERSERK (Adj)

Synonyms:

1. Wild

2. Uncontrollable

3. Crazy

4. Unsubjugated

5. Unchecked

6. Chagrined

7. Frantic

8. Furore

Antonyms:

1. Meek

2. Controllable

3. Subjugated

4. Checked

Exercise:

1. Berserk (ant)

1. Tranquil 2. Enraged

3. Frantic 4. Strong

2. Frantic (syn)

1. Lazy

2. Loyal

3. Gentle

4. Violent

3. Meek (syn)

1. Frank

2. Lassitude

3. Frigid

4. Shy

4. Furore (syn)

1. Uproar

2. Peace

3. Stillness

4. Rest

Berserk Ans

1.1 2.4 3.4 4.1

95. ENIGMA (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Riddle

2. Puzzle

3. Mystery

4. Conundrum

5. Quandary

6. Bewilderment

7. Dilemma

8. Puzzlement

Antonyms:

1. Solution

2. Answer

3. Resolution

4. Explanation

5. Key

6. Clarification

7. Elucidation

Exercise:

1. Enigmatic (syn)

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1. Literate
2. Grumpy
3. Illiterate
4. Mysterious

2. Puzzled (syn)

1. Confused
2. Doubtless
3. Certain
4. Sure

3. Quandary (syn)

1. Impasse
2. Calmness
3. Clique
4. Breeze

4. Bewilderment (syn)

1. Agreement
2. Confusion
3. Arrangement
4. Settlement

5. Dilemma (syn)

1. Predicament
2. Importance
3. Attraction
4. Fascination

6. Conundrum(syn)

1. Negligence
2. Primitive
3. Predominance
4. Confusion

Enigma Ans

1.4 2.1 3.1 4.2 5.1

6.4

96. DOGMA (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Principle
2. Doctrine
3. Opinion
4. Belief
5. Creed
6. Precept
7. Tenet
8. Code/ statute
9. Teaching
10. Maxim
11. Adage
12. Saying
13. Proverb
14. Dictum
15. Aphorism

Antonyms:

1. Unbelief
2. Disbelief
3. Doubt
4. Heterodoxy
5. Falsehood
6. Scepticism

Exercise:

1. Principle (syn)

1. Concrete
2. Headmaster
3. Leader
4. Axiom

2. Precept (syn)

1. Tenet
2. Exclude
3. Proof
4. Excuse

3. Creed (syn)

1. Belief
2. Promise
3. System
4. Religion

4. Adage (syn)

1. Statute

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2. Presage

3. Sage

4. Religious

5. Tenet (syn)

1. Faith

2. Scion

3. Regret

4. Avid

6. Maxim (syn)

1. Proverb

2. Maximum

3. Adverb

4. Abundance

Ans.

1.4 2.1 3.1 4.1 5.1

6.1

97. CAVEAT (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Proviso

2. Warning

3. Caution

4. Notice

5. Alert

6. Alarm

7. Threat

8. Omen

9. Augury

Antonyms:

1. Carelessness

2. Rashness

3. Negligence

4. Recklessness

Exercise:

1. Caveat (syn)

1. Call

2. Distracted

3. Summoned

4. Proviso

2. Alarm (syn)

1. Wake

2. Ring

3. Panic

4. Sound

3. Threat (syn)

1. Attention

2. Risk

3. Proof

4. Suggestion

4. Brashness (ant)

1. Nerve

2. Intelligence

3. Timidity

4. Boldness

5. Augury (syn)

1. Nugatory

2. Surly

3. Threat

4. Boisterous

6. Caution (syn)

1. Nemesis

2. Boldness

3. Relation

4. Warning

Caveat Ans

1.4 2.3 3.2 4.3

5.3 6.4

98. EMULATE (verb)

Synonyms:

1. Imitate

2. Copy

3. Match

4. Follow

5. Echo

6. Take After

7. Ape

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8. Simulate

9. Mimic

10. Replicate

11. Impersonate

Antonyms:

1. Neglect

2. Ignore

3. Disregard

4. Disobey

Exercise:

1. Emulate (ant)

1. Spoilt

2. Neglect

3. Badger

4. Respect

2. Imitate (syn)

1. Mimic

2. Effect

3. Disregard

4. Enlighten

3. Impersonate (syn)

1. Admire

2. Emulate

3. Reward

4. Cherish

4. Mimic (syn)

1. Fail

2. Attempt

3. Prevent

4. Copy

5. Neglect (ant)

1. Fail

2. Care

3. Omit

4. Trust

6. Disregard (syn)

1. Spit

2. Ignore

3. Hidden

4. Curiosity

Emulate Ans

1.2 2.1 3.2 4.4

5.2 6.2

99. PIONEER (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Founding Father

2. Developer

3. Explorer

4. Founder

5. Innovator

6. Settler

7. Leader

8. Trail-Blazer

9. Originator

10. Launcher

11. Creator

Antonyms:

1. Follower

2. Supporter

3. Successor

4. Disciple

Exercise:

1. Pioneer (Syn)

1) Follower

2) Originator

3) Disciple

4) Supporter

2. Disciple (Ant)

A) Founder

B) Follower

C) Successor

D) Supporter

Pioneer Ans

1.2

2.A

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100. ONSLAUGHT (noun)

Synonyms:

1. Assault
2. Attack
3. Invasion
4. Bombardment
5. Strike
6. Assailment
7. Set Upon

Antonyms:

1. Defence
2. Protection
3. Guard
4. Shelter
5. Fortification
6. Barricade
7. Bulwark

1. Assault (syn)

1. Attack
2. Alibi
3. Anger
4. Anxiety

2. Assail (syn)

1. Strike
2. Abandon
3. Save
4. Protect

3. There is no need to (attack) our guest. (syn)

1. Mark
2. Generate
3. Assault
4. Adore

4. Defence (ant)

1. Offence
2. Guard
3. Protection
4. Security

Onslaught Ans

1.1

2.1

3.3

4.1

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